

# THE NAPANEE

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NAPANEE, ONT., CANADA

STUPENDOUS ALL DECEMBER AND CHRISTMAS

## S N A P S

Napanee's new bargain store to break all records all December and Xmas. Everything brand new, latest styles, best qualities. Just searched every leading factory and warehouse in Toronto and Montreal for samples and clearing lines. You can come 100 miles and save money here. Greatest bargain selling ever seen in Napanee. Every article guaranteed. Save this bill. Come early.

## WHIRLWIND EAST END STORE NAPANEE

**FINEST LADIES WEAR HALF PRICE**

Samples clearing lines and cancelled orders from the best and highest class manufacturers in Canada, bought at 25% to 60% discount. Quantities so large we **MUST SELL AT SLAUGHTER PRICES**

**COATS** Cleared Wilson's, Pullan's and Winters' factories. 100 coats, new and nobby, dozens of styles. Sample coats, worth \$15.00 to \$35.00, choice..... **\$6.98**

**SUITS** 16 Pullan sample suits, very latest in style. Make early selection, reg. \$15 and \$20..... **9.98**

**DRESSES** 15 silk and velvet dresses. A. E. Rea

**NET WAISTS** 100 to choose from. All new. Clearing line of 2 doz. reg. \$3.50 to 5.00, choice..... **1.75**

**SILK WAISTS** 2 doz. only, A. E. Rea make, no two alike, worth \$5.00 to 7.50 for..... **3.75**

**UNDERSKIRTS** 18 house sample silk undershirts, A. E. Rea & Co. No two

**KIMONAS** Gale Mfg. Co., clearing kimonas, waists, dressing sacques, children's robes at..... **1-2**

**HAND BAGS** Bought at 40c on \$1.00, big variety. Make a suitable Xmas gift at less than..... **1-2**

**XMAS WEAR** 3000 finest handkerchiefs, belts, ties, scarfs, frillings, veilings.

Make early selection, reg. 9.98  
\$15 and \$20.....

**DRESSES** 15 silk and velvet dresses, A. E. Rea make. They sell everywhere at \$15 to 25, choice.. 8.69

7.50 for..... 3.75  
**UNDERSKIRTS** 18 house sample silk undershirts, A. E. Rea & Co. No two alike, worth \$5.00 to 7.50 choice..... 3.75

Make a suitable Xmas gift at less than..... 1-2  
**XMAS WEAR** 3000 finest handkerchiefs, belts, ties, scarfs, frillings, veillings, collars, aviation caps, sweater coats, Newest, nicest.

## SAVINGS FOR MEN.

Experience in high-class gent's furnishing stores causes us to buy right for men.

**T. & D. CLOTHES** Admittedly the finest make in Canada. All bench tailored. We have navy and brown serges, two lines of Scotch "Bannick" Tweeds and a line of well made dress overcoats. As we want to secure a particular trade we will sell the lot at LOW PRICES.

**SWEATER COATS** We have at least 50 patterns of the nobbiest sweater coats in Canada, bought from a dozen different concerns. SEE THEM.

**BEST LINES** Sword Neckwear, Penman & Walsely Underwear, President Suspenders, High Class Xmas scarfs, ties, gloves, etc.

## XMAS SUGGESTIONS

You'll find scores of best things for the best lady or best man on earth.

This store is crowded with new and pretty things suitable for Xmas gifts. In men's and women's pretty knitted ties in individual boxes, every kind of toque and aviation cap, scarfs, frillings, a doz. varieties of pretty lace handkerchiefs, men's finest linen handkerchiefs, beautiful sweater coats, silk and net waists, kimonas, fur caps and fur gauntlets, gloves, men's Xmas boxes of suspenders, garters and arm bands.

Buy for HIM---HER Here.

## \$5,000.00 CHILDREN'S WEAR BARGAINS

Best lines from the best exclusive manufacturers in this best little country in the world.—Canada. Our children's department just teeming with pretty things in children's wear. Come 100 miles and you won't be disappointed. Don't waste time over making for little tots. Cheaper here.

### COATS.

122 children's coats, samples, and a Manitoba cancelled order from the biggest and best manufacturer of children's wear in Canada.

Blanket coats in blue red, grey with and without hoods, some fancy plaid trimmed. Corduroy velvet, serges, and every variety of cloth and style, all ages from 1 yr. up. Blanket coats at \$3.98, others \$1.85 up. Biggest showing outside of large city stores. Look them over. Every coat saves you

30 to 50 per cent.

### OTHER SNAPS.

Another 5 doz. wool toques in endless variety, worth 50c for 19.

Boys' suspenders, new, 9c.  
All boys' overcoats AT COST.  
Wool mitts 25c, buckskin 50c and 39c.  
Underwear of all kinds, fine wool included, suits, highest grades, red. \$1.00 to 3.00.  
Girl's dressing sacques reduced 30 %.  
Fur sets, white and colored, 98c.  
Baby knitted coats, 39c.  
Children's wool undershirts and waists combined, 49c.  
Baby wool and cashmere hoods, 10c.

### DRESSES

238 Children's, Girl's and Misses dresses Bought similar to coats, viz samples and clearing lines and cancelled orders. Every material, style, size and price. Don't make dresses, see ours first. They'll surprise you. Nothing like it short of fairyland. Pretty as our wonderful \$25 doll. Bring the girls in. Look them over. Don't buy if they don't save you

30 to 50 per cent.

## BARGAIN LIST

10 doz. sample fancy and plain Cashmere Hose, 50c line, get a supply at.....29

5 doz. lined Mitts, pig skin, calf, horsehide, etc., worth 75c and \$1.00, for.....39

1516 Caps, clearing of three best Canadian factories, each saves you.....25c

Raincoats, new, fully guaranteed, big assortment, reduced.....15 per cent.

100 Bill Books (purses) reg. 50c for... 19c

14 shades Bengaline Ties, reg. 50c for.....19c

5 dozen 50c Cuff Links..15c

## \$25 DOLL FREE

**TO** Any LITTLE LADY under 12 years who secures the biggest amount of dollars worth of our Counter Checks.

**WHEN** Begin Dec. 1st and end Dec. 29rd at 12 p.m. Checks to be added and returned to our store not later than Dec. 29. Award to be made Dec. 30th.

**HOW** Save your own purchase checks and get all the other checks you can from your friends. You do not need to buy, only get all the checks you can. Very simple. Just hustle a little.

**AND** Do not canvas for checks in the store Do not alter a check in any way or you will be disqualified. The contest will be fair and square without any favor.

## BARGAIN LIST

Samples of an import linen house to sell at WHOLESALE PRICES.

All our lines of 10c Flannel-ette.....9c

Mill Ends, 17c and 20c Shirting.....13c

Pure Glycerine or Castile Soap, reg. 5c, for.....4c

Sample lot \$1 and 1.25 Wool Underwear.....69c

6 pieces Velvet Wrapperete, regular 18c for.....124c

25 Men's \$10 to \$15 Overcoats.....5.00

# EE EXPRESS

A QUARTER OF A CENTURY  
find us in the lead for  
Plumbing, Steam, Hot  
Water and Hot Air  
Heating.  
M. S. MADOLE

NADA—FRIDAY, DECEMBER 8th, 1911

\$1 per Year in advance: \$1.50 if not so paid.

## AND ONCE AGAIN BOOM NAPANEE.

The wheels of progress have begun to move. The first step in the move for a boom in Napanee was taken at the meeting of the town council on Monday evening. True, it was not a move of mammoth proportions, but nevertheless it was a move in the right direction, and we feel satisfied that this important question of putting forth an effort to boom our town will not stop there. We are also of the opinion that the progressive element of our town will demand of the new 1912 council that the effort must be continued.

The action of those members of the council Monday night who took the initiative and brought forward the following resolution plainly shows that these gentlemen are alive to the demand that something be done.

Following are the resolutions, passed by a unanimous vote:

"Moved by Coun. Waller, seconded by Coun. Alexander, that this Council put itself on record as being in favor of granting free site, free water and a fixed assessment, and do anything they can to keep the Dominion Rock Drill Foundry Co., in Napanee, and to encourage any other factory to locate in Napanee."

"Moved by Coun. Meng, seconded by Coun. Steacy, that this council advertise in the Toronto and Montreal papers, the fact that Napanee is prepared to give substantial aid to any manufacturer looking for a good place to locate."

"Moved by Coun. Waller, seconded by Coun. Stevens, that this council, in a body, meet the representatives of the Dominion Rock Drill Co., and if an arrangement can be arrived at, a by-law be prepared in order that it may be put in shape and be in readiness to be voted upon at the coming municipal elections."

What the Dominion Rock Drill Foundry proposes to do in lieu of any concessions granted by the town will be found in another article in this issue.

We are satisfied that the ratepayers of Napanee will readily see the advisability of keeping this rapidly growing concern in Napanee, and when the time comes to vote upon any concessions to them the verdict will be a unanimous one.

### Hair Dye.

We have the "old fashioned hair restorer" that restores the hair to its natural color. It is not a nitrate of silver dye that shows on the hair so everybody can see that the hair has been dyed, but a "color restorer". It is put up in \$1.00 bottles, and can be procured in Napanee only at Wallace's Drug Store—The Rexall Agency.

## THE DOMINION ROCK DRILL CO.

ASK FOR A NEW SITE AND FIXED  
ASSESSMENT.

## WILL BUILD NEW FACTORY.

The Dominion Rock Drill Co., under the able management of Mr. E. J. Roy

## Useful and Appropriate Gifts for Men and Boys

You will find hundreds of useful gifts in our large and well assorted stock. Everything displayed in such a manner that shopping is made easy for you.

BEAUTIFUL NECK SCARFS—  
ranging from 50c. to \$1.50.

LINED AND UNLINED GLOVES—  
ranging from \$1.00 to \$2.25.

COLORED SHIRTS—75c. to \$1.50.

CAPS—50c. to \$1.25.

HEAVY IMPORTED TWEED  
HATS—just the thing for cold  
weather, \$1.50.

SWEATER COATS—for boys, 75c.  
to \$1.50.

SWEATER COATS—for men, \$1.00  
to \$4.75.

FANCY VESTS—\$2.00 and \$2.50.

AVIATION CATS—50c.

TOQUES—25c, 35c, and 50c.

Beautiful Silk and Knitted Ties.

## J. L. BOYES,

### WILTON.

Mrs. W. H. Mills is very ill.  
Miss Maud Patterson, Harrowamith,  
is also ill at her sister's, Mrs. L. L.  
Gallagher's.

Wilton once more has a blacksmith,  
Walton Davy's shop being opened by  
Wm. Davis.

Mr. Wylie, a final year divinity  
student at Queen's, preached in the  
Presbyterian church the last two Sun-  
day evenings.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Lake, Sydenham,  
were visiting at Erwell Miller's a  
couple of days last week.

James Simmons is home from Ox-  
bow, Sask., where he went last summer.

George Jackson has returned from  
New York State.

Mrs. Charles Stover and Mrs. Zilpha  
Stover visited friends in Elginburg  
last week.

Walton Davy had a shooting match  
last Friday.

### Horse Blankets.

A large assortment, prices right,  
you are sure to find one to suit you.  
M. S. MADOLE.

### ODESSA

Mrs. George McFarlane, Sr., died at  
her home here on Tuesday. The fun-  
eral was held at the house, on Thurs-  
day afternoon, by Rev. Norman Perry,  
of the Free Methodist church. The re-  
mains were taken to Cataract vault.

Noble Bond left on Tuesday, for  
Denver, Col. He expects to stop at  
Toronto and at Chicago, where he will  
be joined by Philip Oswald, also of  
this place.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Metzler entertained  
a few of their friends on Thursday  
evening.

Mr. and Mrs. B. George Ham enter-

## DAFOE & WALLER

Lumber, Shingles, Lath,  
Posts, Sash, Doors,  
Mouldings, Etc.

AGENTS for Canadian Fairbanks Gas and  
Marine Engines.

AGENTS for Ruberoid Roofing and  
Flooring.

FACTORY next to the Big Mill. 'Phone 14

### G. F. RUTTAN, K. C.

BARRISTER, SOLICITOR, ETC.  
Office—Merchants Bank Chambers, Napanee.  
Money to loan.  
Telephones—Office 91, Residence 132.

### Notice to Fruit Growers.

R. B. ALLEN, Napanee, has the agency  
for this section, of the celebrated Minona  
Nurseries, owned and managed by E. D.  
Smith. 48.d.p

## TOWN OF NAPANEE.

All accounts due the Corporation must  
be handed to the Clerk not later than  
DECEMBER 14th.

W. A. GRANGE,  
Clerk.

## 100 GIRLS WANTED.

### \$5.00 Per Week

to commence with for girls eighteen and  
over. Apply at once.

D. S. PERRIN & CO., Limited,  
44-m London, Ont.

TO RENT OR FOR SALE—Store oc-  
cupied by the undersigned. Apply to F.  
CHINNECK. 31

WANTED—Good six or seven room  
house, modern conveniences. Address  
P. O. BOX 376, DESERONTO. (No children  
39)

FOR SALE—The brick residence on East  
Street, formerly occupied by the late  
Mrs. J. D. Ham. Apply to HERRINGTON  
WARNER & GRANGE. 31f

FOR SALE—Seed Store, on Dundas  
Street, also Store House and Fruit Evap-  
orator, foot of West Street, apply to THOS.  
SYMINGTON, Owner, Napanee, Ont. 42f

HOUSE FOR SALE with two lots, new  
house 38 x 24, barn 28 x 24, electric light,  
hard and soft water, a splendid property at a  
low price. Apply to M. PIZZARIELLO. 11

FOR SALE OR TO LET—A square 200  
acre farm of first-class clay loam, 190  
acres of which is work land and ten acres of

### Veteran Land Grants Wanted

Ontario or Dominion, located or unlocated  
MULHOLLAND & CO.,  
8-1-y McKinnon Bldg., Toronto.

## DOXSEE & CO.

### MILLINERY

Do not miss seeing our display of Trim-  
med Hats SATURDAY, DECEMBER  
2nd, at Half Price. Our stock is heavy for  
this season of the year. We are taking  
this way of reducing it. Come and see for  
yourself. It will pay you.

### UNDERWEAR

For Ladies 25c. to \$1.50 per garment  
special value.

### Xmas Handkerchiefs

We have just received a large lot of fine  
Handkerchiefs suitable for gifts.

### Lace Handkerchiefs

Many dainty designs, some of them in  
limited quantities.

Embroidered and plain hemstitched  
linen handkerchiefs.

Patterns quite new, fine sheer makes  
and others a trifle heavier.

### The Leading Millinery House

## THE - DOMINION - BANK NAPANEE BRANCH

Capital Paid up..... \$1,700,000  
Reserve Fund and Undivided  
Profits..... 5,700,000  
Total Deposits by the Public... 49,300,000  
Total Assets..... 60,000,000  
Travellers and Commercial Letters of



## ASK FOR A NEW SITE AND FIXED ASSESSMENT. WILL BUILD NEW FACTORY.

The Dominion Rock Drill Co., under the able management of Mr. E. J. Roy finds itself in a position where their present buildings and equipment are totally inadequate to handle the amount of business offered. It is therefore necessary that they secure at once larger premises and better facilities. With this end in view the representatives of the company met the town council on Wednesday evening to see if an agreement could be arrived at between the Company and the town whereby the company would erect their new buildings here instead of going elsewhere. The Company asks a new site of at least three acres, convenient to the Railways, and a fixed assessment for a term of years. The proposed site is the block of land along the railway opposite the canning factory.

The Rock Drill Co. propose to erect entirely new building as good as any in Canada used for this business, modern and up to date in every way.

The buildings will be, machine shop, 50x150 feet, two stories high, boiler shop and moulding shop, 50x150, one storey high, also extra buildings for office, store room, forging shop, engine and boiler room, and storage sheds for coal, coke, sand, iron, etc. The buildings will be of steel frame, and either concrete, cement blocks or brick and practically fire proof. Travelling cranes will be provided in the machine, moulding and boiler shops. A large quantity of new machinery will be required to manufacture new lines of machinery the company will produce. A complete compressed air plant will be provided for the boiler shop, and a steam hammer for the forging shop. In future everything entering into the machinery manufactured by the company will as far as possible be made in their own factory. Railway sidings will also be provided for the buildings. The present capital of the company is \$40,000 and this will be increased to \$100,000. The value of the new buildings, when equipped, will be between \$50,000 and \$60,000. The Company have been offered inducements from several other places to move from Napanee, but as the business has become established here the Company would prefer to stay here if the town will offer any inducement for them to do so.

All kinds of pickle spices at Wallace's Drug Store. Fruit Vinegar, 30c gallon, proof vinegar, 40c gallon, pickle bottle corks, all sizes. Jar rings 5c dozen, the thick red perfect ring, 10c doz. Preserving powder, 10c package. Everything fresh and good at Wallace's.

### GREYNA.

Mr. M. S. Madole, the Liberal candidate for this country, passed through here last week accompanied by Mr. Frank Wilson. There seems to be little excitement over the coming elections.

Miss Bertha Gould, of Chambers, and Mr. Jas. Clark were married at the home of the bride's parents last Wednesday.

Preparations for the annual Xmas tree and entertainment to be held in the church, Friday evening, December 22nd, have commenced. The programme will be worth hearing. Choruses, solos, recitations, dialogues, drills, etc., are being prepared.

Mr. Miles Sills and sisters, Mrs. Kirk and Miss Mary Sills, of McLean, also Miss Jettah Gould, of Napanee, are visiting Mrs. Albert Sills.

Mrs. H. Smith, Hay Bay, visited her cousin, Mrs. Geo. Perry, on Saturday.

**Children Cry  
FOR FLETCHER'S  
CASTORIA**

Toronto and at Chicago, where he will be joined by Philip Oswald, also of this plate.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Metzler entertained a few of their friends on Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. B. George Ham entertained a few friends on Friday evening.

About sixty young people met at the home of J. H. Babcock for a surprise party, on Friday, and enjoyed themselves, and report Mrs. Babcock an ideal hostess.

The Turney Comedy company gave a moving picture and vaudeville show in the village hall, on Saturday night, which was well attended and enjoyed.

G. H. Remion met with an accident. A hot poker slipped, striking him in the right eye.

For useful and permanent Christmas gifts, be sure you take a peep at our choice selection of high grade goods before purchasing, at The Medical Hall!—Fred L. Hooper.

### BAY CENTRE.

We are having very nice weather for this time of year.

Miss A. Cranston spent a few days last week the guest of her brother, Mr. Walter Cranston.

Miss Emma McCabe entertained a few young people on Sunday evening in honor of her cousin, Miss Ruby McCabe, of Michigan, who intends spending the winter with relatives at Bay Centre.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Brooks spent Sunday at Mr. T. W. McCabe's.

Parties are the order of the day.

The Rev. Mr. Henry, of Tamworth, preached at the Sand Hill Presbyterian church on Sunday afternoon, during the absence of our pastor, Rev. Mr. Howard.

Mr. Edda McCabe spent a few days last week in Napanee on business.

Messrs. Fred and Herb Moore and Herbert McCabe are pressing hay at Queensboro and expect to return home on Saturday evening to remain until after election.

Miss Emma McCabe spent last week in Napanee the guest of her cousin, Mrs. R. E. Wales.

Miss Jennie Perry Gretna, spent Tuesday last at Mr. Wm. McCabe's.

Mrs. Stewart died very suddenly on Sunday evening at the residence of Mr. Abrams.

### Pocket Knives

Every body uses a pocket knife, and to-day there is a lot of poor knives on sale. We have just imported a case of pocket knives from Sheffield, the only direct importation of this kind ever come to Town, and can offer you good goods at a price that will satisfy All kinds of cutlery at

BOYLE & SON'S.

NOTICE is hereby given that a By-Law was passed by the Council of the Municipal Corporation of the Township of Sheffield, in the County of Lennox and Addington, on the fourth day of September, A. D., 1911, providing for the issue of Debentures to the amount of \$3500.00 for the purpose of purchasing for Public School Section No. 6, of the said Township of Sheffield, a new school site and erecting thereon a new school house and furnishing the same according to law, and that such By-Law was registered in the Registry Office of the County of Lennox and Addington, on the fifth day of September, A. D., 1911.

Any motion to quash or set aside the same, or any part thereof, must be made within three months after the first publication of this notice and cannot be made thereafter.

Dated the sixth day of September, A. D., 1911, and first published in the Napanee Express newspaper, (published at Napanee) on Friday, 8th September, 1911.

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JAS. AYLSWORTH,

Clerk of the said Township of Sheffield.

HOUSE FOR SALE with two lots, new house 38 x 24, barn 28 x 24, electric light, hard and soft water, a splendid property at a low price. Apply to M. PIZZARIELLO. 11

FOR SALE OR TO LET—A square 200 acre farm of first-class clay loam, 190 acres of which is work land and ten acres of timber. This farm is well watered, well fenced, clear of foul weeds, free of stone, and under good cultivation. Good orchard. Post office, blacksmith shop, and general store on corner of farm. Quarter mile from Marysville station, close to school and churches. Good brick house, and three frame barns and drive house. Apply to BERNARD MCGUINNIS, Marysville, Ont. 37dp-t-f

### ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

In the estate of John R. McPhearson, deceased.

Notice is hereby given pursuant to Chapter 124, of the Revised Statutes of Ontario, section 38, and amending acts, that all persons having any claims or demands against the estate of John R. McPhearson, late of the Township of Ernestown, in the County of Lennox and Addington, farmer, deceased, who died on or about the 6th day of Nov. A. D. 1911, are required to deliver or send by post prepaid to T.B. German Napanee, Ont. Solicitor for John Baltus Sharp, the Administrator of the estate of the said John R. McPhearson, deceased, on or before the 15th day of January, A. D. 1912, their christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, with full particulars of their claims or demands duly verified, and the nature of the security (if any) held by them.

And further take notice that after the said 15th day of January, A. D. 1912, the said Administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims or demands of which he shall then have received notice, and will not be responsible for the said assets or any part thereof to any person or persons of whose claims or demands he has not received notice at the time of the administration thereof.

T. B. GERMAN,

Solicitor for the said Administrator.  
Dated the 30th day of November, 1911. 51d

Capital Paid up..... \$4,700,000  
Reserve Fund and Undivided Profits..... 5,700,000  
Total Deposits by the Public... 49,300,000  
Total Assets..... 60,000,000  
Travellers and Commercial Letters of Credit issued available throughout the world.

**G. P. REIFFENSTEIN,**  
Manager, Napanee Branch.

## MERCHANTS' BANK OF CANADA. ESTABLISHED 1864.

PAID UP CAPITAL AND RESERVE OVER:  
\$10,900,000.

UNDOUBTED SECURITY FOR DEPOSITORS

### Savings Bank Department.

Deposits of \$1.00 and upwards received and interest at best current rate paid.  
Farmers' Business Solicited and General Banking Business transacted.

Yarker **F. W. CLARKE, Mgr.**

Napanee Branch, **E. R. CHECKLEY, Mgr.**

**Lax-ets 5 C Sweet to Eat**  
A Candy Bowl Laxative.

## GROCERS, :: ATTENTION.

From now until December 15th, we will offer our various brands of matches with a discount off the regular list prices as follows:— 10 per cent. with five case lots,—12½ per cent. with twenty-five case lots, or 15 per cent. with twenty-five case lots, freight prepaid.

## The Dominion Match

is daily growing in popularity, and you will make no mistake in placing our line in stock. For further particulars apply,

The Dominion Match Co. Limited, Deseronto, Ont.

W. S. MORDEN,

President.

C. J. ANDERSON,

Manager.

## NORTHERN CROWN BANK

Head Office, - Winnipeg.

Authorized Capital, \$6,000,000.

Paid Up Capital, \$2,200,000.

### DIRECTORS:

President	Sir D. H. McMillan, K.C.M.G.
Vice President	Capt Wm. Robinson
Jas. H. Ashdown	H. T. Champion
Hon. D. C. Cameron	W. C. Leistikow
General Manager	Robt. Campbell
Supt of Eastern Branches	V. F. Cronyn
Frederick Nation	Hon. R. P. Roblin

## A General Banking Business Transacted.

**R. G. H. TRAVERS,** - **Manager Napanee Branch.**



One of the most important gatherings of specialists during the year was the international prison congress, which brought together many of the leading experts in penology and criminology in the world. The results of the session are summarized by Prof. Henderson. Especially interesting is his discussion of the conclusion approving the scientific principle of the indeterminate sentence. Prof. Henderson points out that the term "indeterminate sentence" is a vague one in the public mind, at home or abroad, and that penal reformers should make it clear that by that term "we do not mean to ask any indefinite, arbitrary, irresponsible power for the prison administration; we do not ask that legislatures and courts should be excluded from control over the penalties for crime and the methods of treating offenders." What actually is asked is, broadly speaking, the abolition of the arbitrary laws based on vengeance and compensation and the substitution of a sentence based on social defense and reformation.

The specific demand is made, however, that legislatures provide sentence sufficiently prolonged for effective educational methods in the case of educable persons who are capable of reformation and control, sufficiently prolonged in the case of habitual, professional, dangerous criminals to afford protection against them and to be deterrent in general society. Prof. Henderson further emphasizes the very necessary principle that advanced legislation is desirable—we should say necessary—to make effective the advanced ideas of punishment and reformation; and this legislation, he adds, should be based on modern knowledge of the difference in the character and requirements of various classes of offenders. Obviously the time factor is too little considered. A beginning has been made at a rational treatment of the incapable, morally weak, habitual drunkards and those wrecked by drugs and vicious indulgence. But "a prolonged period of medical control, with steady labor, much of it in the open air, is absolutely essential," says Prof. Henderson, "to any degree of success with this discouraging group of offenders." The short jail sentence of our present system is, of course, worse than useless. It accelerates the destructive process—not retards it.

Another very important point urged is on behalf of an adequate number of parole officers. There really cannot be said fairly to be a parole system unless it is properly

# THE FARM

## Useful Hints for the Tiller of the Soil

### FEEDING THE DAIRY CALF.

Young calves need whole milk for the first few days. The calf should always have the first or colorstrum milk of the cow and be allowed to nurse the cow until the eighth or ninth milking, when the milk is suitable for human food. Feed often with small amounts to avoid overfeeding. Teach the calf to drink and feed whole milk for at least three weeks, changing to a skim milk diet gradually.

The amount of milk feed should be carefully regulated. A good plan with the normal calf is to give four pounds (two quarts) of whole milk three times per day, fed sweet and at blood temperature. In the state of nature the calf gets milk containing about three per cent. fat. Our domesticated cows have been bred in some instances to give nearly twice this amount. Milk that is too rich may cause serious trouble from scours, and in feeding such milk care should be exercised to give limited amounts at the proper temperature. The feeding of whole milk should be continued for about three or four weeks, when the number of meals may be reduced to two per day. From one-half to a pint of skim milk may now be substituted for an equal quantity of whole milk. The amount of skim milk may be gradually increased and the amount of whole milk correspondingly decreased until, at the end of a week or ten days, the calf is getting all skim milk.

Skim milk is a cheap feed for calves, but should be fed carefully in limited quantities and only while it is warm and sweet. Skim milk may form the principal diet of the calf for eight months or a year. Factory skim milk should always be pasturized to avoid the spread of tuberculosis. The best skim milk is that which is fresh from the separator and still warm. Experiments show that it is only one fourth as expensive to raise a calf on skim milk as whole milk. Two pounds of grain with the proper amount of skim milk equals one pound of butter fat. Buttermilk or whey may profitably be fed to calves.

Grain for calves should be fed first while the calf is quite small, with a little bran to aid the calf in learning to eat. High-priced concentrates are unnecessary and

give no better results than cornmeal, oats and bran, ground barley, etc., when fed in proper combinations. At four to six weeks a calf has good teeth and can grind his own feed. A variety of feeds is advantageous and best results will usually be secured from mixtures.

The following list may serve as a guide to the calf feeder in making selections or combinations to suit his conditions:

1. Cornmeal gradually changed in four to six weeks to shelled corn with or without bran.
2. Whole oats and bran.
3. Whole oats and corn chop, the latter gradually replaced by shelled corn in four to six weeks.
4. Ground barley with bran or shelled corn.
5. Shelled corn and ground Kafir corn or shorghum.
6. Whole oats, ground barley and bran.
7. A mixture of twenty pounds of cornmeal, twenty pounds of oatmeal, twenty pounds of oilmeal, ten pounds of bloodmeal and five pounds of bonemeal, changed to corn, oats and bran when calves are three months old.
8. A mixture of five pounds whole oats, three pounds bran, one pound cornmeal and one pound linseed meal.

The calf may be taught to eat grain by rubbing a little on its mouth when it is through drinking milk. From this it will soon learn to eat from the feed box.

The roughage for calves should first be fed at two or three weeks of age when the calf begins to eat grain. Good clean hay, either timothy, blue grass, clover or alfalfa may be used. Corn silage is an excellent calf feed when fed in moderate amounts. Good pasture is an essential after four to six months of age, and if the calf is turned out for only a few hours each day at first, scours will be avoided.

Starching Dark Goods.—Cooking-gelatin makes an excellent starch for black, navy-blue, or other dark wash goods. Pour a quart of boiling water over one teaspoonful of gelatin, which has been first soaked in cold water. Strain, and use lukewarm. The garments may be ironed wet, or dried and sprinkled. Iron on the wrong side, and use a dark ironing-cover.

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 \* Guard the Door \*  
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Did you ever examine the door of a safe in which money and valuables are kept?

is Love. He will make us happy. We must open the door to him; we must give him a cordial welcome and make him our honored guest. Treat him well, that he may remain with us forever.

The door of our ears, of our eyes, of our lips and our hearts must be kept closed to all things evil, and opened wide to all things good.

Love that is pure is the very essence of good; therefore take Love into your hearts, your lives, and keep it there always.

### HOW TO BREAK A DROUGHT.

#### Procession in Balkans—Sonsing a Stranger in Russia.

The tricks are many and various (by which members of the human race have tried to bring rain in time of drought. There is a village in Russia, for instance, where three men used to climb certain fir trees in seasons of drought, one of the three having a vessel of water which he would sprinkle all around.

One of the two others hammered on a kettle or made some similar noise in the hope of thereby producing thunder and the third scattered sparks from firebrands as a warning to the lightning to make haste. The Golden Bough gives a host of instances of similar ceremonies as they have been observed in different parts of the world.

In Rumania, Serbia and other countries the charm for rain is more picturesque. Here a troop of girls, the leader of whom is naked save for a covering of leaves, herbs and flowers, goes in procession from house to house through the village and as they pass singing for rain householders drench them with buckets of water. "The ceremony," says Dr. Frazer, "regularly takes place all over Rumania on the third Tuesday after Easter, but it may be expected at any time of drought during the summer."

There is yet another wetting Rumanian custom described in the Golden Bough. Sometime when rain is needed, we are told, the Rumanians "make a clay figure to represent drought, cover it with a pall and place it in an open coffin. Girls crouch round the coffin and lament, saying, 'Drought is dead! Lord, give us rain!' Then the coffin is carried by children in funeral procession with a burning wax candle before it, while lamentations fill the air. Finally they throw the coffin and the candle into a stream or well."

In unspoiled parts of Russia the popular methods of influencing the weather are less funeral. Sometime, for instance, Dr. Frazer tells us, "after service in church the priest in his robes has been thrown down on the ground and drenched with water by his parishioners. \* \* In Kursk, a province of southern Russia, when rain is much wanted the women seize a passing stranger and throw him into the river or scouse him from head to foot."

If you are going to spend your holidays in southern Russia it is as well that you should know this. Otherwise you might come away with the totally false impression that strangers are unpopular in those parts.

### THE NUMBER "SEVEN."

#### Lucky Number Has Been Prominent Since World Began.

No one who reads the Scriptures with attention can help being struck with the recurrence of the number 7. It is everywhere in the Book of Revelation. But it was prominent far earlier than this. Seven was the number of days in the week. Job had 7 sons. The most solemn day in the Jewish year came in the 7th month. There are 7 parables in the cluster of Matthew XIII. Elsewhere than amongst the Jews the number 7 became prominent. The constellation of the Great Bear was known

Another very important point urged is on behalf of an adequate number of parole officers. There really cannot be said fairly to be a parole system unless it is properly equipped. What legislatures and some reformers or humanitarians must realize is that tinkering with the old punitive system often produces not good, but bad, results. Yet the alternative is not a return to the old system, but a broader and more sweeping advance. Reform of our criminal law and administration must be consistent. We are just now in a traditional stage. We ought to press forward intelligently under a consistent programme.

Long ago the patent offices of the world came to the conclusion through experts that few basic principles are embodied in new inventions. Adaptations of old and well known laws of physics merely are applied in a new form in mechanical contrivances. What shall be said of M. Constantin, a French inventor who has applied a windmill wheel to the front of vehicles which move at high speed, or which have to move against heavy head winds? To the end, of conserving the energies which drive the vehicle?

As we understand it, the inventor has gone no further than the building of a small model wagon. The wagon is of aluminum and weighs about four pounds. But with its wind wheel mounted in front and turned toward the air-driven from an ordinary electric fan, the vehicle takes a sheet into the wind. With a large fan of the general office or restaurant type, the small wagon takes a 6 per cent. grade with a load of twenty pounds in the wagon box.

The principle of the invention takes for granted that the wheel mounted in front of a huge van imposes a minimum of additional wind pressure. But as the wind blows strong, or as the movement of a power-driven vehicle creates its own head pressure, the axis of the wind wheel, engaging geared wheels through a spiral groove in the axle, returns from air friction a marked quantity of energy which may be of great value in automobiles, motor trucks, electric cars, and railroad trains.

#### CAKE AND PIERCE.

He—"What do you women do at you club?"  
She—"Talk about the faults of you men. What do you do at yours?"  
He—"Try to forget the faults of the women."

"Quick, Dusty! Come away from dat bar!" "Wot's de matter?" "De cider in it's workin'."

Did you ever examine the door of a safe in which money and valuables are kept?

Did you notice what heavy bolts it has, what an intricate lock and how thick the door itself is?

There is no need to ask "why" such a door is so strongly constructed, for we all know it is to safeguard the money, to keep out thieves.

There is always a watchman beside the door to see that no thief even tries to break it open, yet every little while we read of a bank robbery, of a large safe being blown open and the robbers making off with the money therein.

The watchman has failed in his duty. He has been careless or has yielded once too often to the temptation to take a little nap.

Have you ever thought that we are all watchmen at the doors of our own hearts and minds? We are; and it is these doors that we must keep closed against certain thieves that are constantly trying to break in and steal our self-respect.

Sometimes we are lucky enough to see such a thief coming, and then are able to guard the door well against him. At other times, they take us unawares and break in before we have an opportunity to even think of precaution.

One of the most violent thieves is Anger. He comes with a frown on his brow; his lips quiver; his face is pale and fierce looking; he carries some deadly weapon in his hand, and is sure to do us infinite harm.

Our souls will be hurt, our hearts bruised; not only we, but our friends, too, will suffer from a visit of Anger, if we should be caught napping and he breaks through the door of our lives.

Pride is another thief of self-respect. He comes with a haughty mien; he looks down upon everything and everybody; anything is good enough for him, yet he will come to rob us of our charity toward others, of the loving kindness that is a part of every normal human being.

Every one is made unhappy when ill-temper breaks through our safeguard. He it is who brings us enemies, where we had made friends. Ill-temper will up-set the entire household, will separate families, will break hearts and wreck lives if he is allowed to rob us of our naturally sweet dispositions.

A thief that comes to us clothed in fine raiment, who flaunts his clothes in our faces for us to admire and who is one of the most insidious of the tribe is Vanity. Keep him out, if you can, for he will surely bring you to tears if he breaks in.

The most miserable of all the thieves, the one that causes us wretchedness and woe, is Sloth. Guard the door of your life well against Sloth, for if he once breaks in he will yawn the hours away in idleness and bring you to rags and ruin in the end.

From all these thieves we must protect our lives; but there is one visitor that we should all welcome with open arms and hearts.

He comes to us quietly, unobtrusively, without fuss or the sound of trumpets, but his face wears a sweet smile and sweet thoughts illumine his countenance. His name

is kept closed to all things evil, and opened wide to all things good.

Love that is pure is the very essence of good; therefore take Love into your hearts, your lives, and keep it there always.

#### LONDON'S STREETS.

##### Polished Surface of Thoroughfares Show Great Care.

After a spell of dry weather the streets in London, England, paved with wood and asphalt, become polished to a very high degree, and the sheen upon Victoria street and Piccadilly, and some other roads, is so remarkable that at night they shine almost like ice in the glare of the lamps, writes Lord Montague in London Car.

If an unused section be observed over which motors do not run, no plush will be seen, but in the middle of the street the surface, though curiously enough, not slippery in its dry state, is polished like the floor of a ball-room, the natural effect, when one comes to think of it, of rubber and steel in juxtaposition, and the slight but continual slipping of wheels over a surface of hardwood. One effect of this polish is to make it impossible for any light or loose matter to rest upon it when there is any wind at all.

The centre of the streets has become marvellously clean, and all the horse refuse is blown into the gutters near the pavement, which, being often flushed with a trickle of water, collects most of this light and dangerous detritus which would otherwise be blown farther afield. I have often written of the Ebony Way down the Champs Elysees in Paris. We have now in London many ebony ways, but not being given as a nation to so much overlubrication as our Gallic neighbors, our roads are not as black, owing to dripping oil on the surface. The surface of our streets is becoming more like polished ivory than polished ebony. The effect of the Road Board and its grants is already to be seen all over England in regard to the making of main roads dustless.

#### MEAT-EATING AND CANCER.

The theory advanced by more or less eminent specialists, that the increase in cancer is for some unexplained reason due to a meat diet, appears to be refuted by statistics from the island continent of Australia. Meat, and especially fresh meat, is cheap in Australia, and in consequence its use is more general than in probably any country in the world. The population of Australia in 1908 was estimated at 4,500,000. The deaths from cancer, as reported for that year, were one in every 1540 of the population, a rate very much lower than that of the United States, Great Britain or Germany.

"The birthstone is supposed to control our destinies. Now, what is your birthstone?" "Judging from my life experience I am inclined to believe it is a brickbat."

Poverty came, in at the door. "Excuse me," remarked Love, as he flew out of the window. "I guess it's up to me to hustle for a job."

When boiling fish add an onion to the water and sweet herbs tied in a piece of muslin. This is a French cook's suggestion and very tasty.

came in the 7th month. There are 7 parables in the cluster of Matthew XIII. Elsewhere than amongst the Jews the number 7 became prominent. The constellation of the Great Bear was known by the Latin name of the Seven Stars.

The Pleiades were supposed to have originally consisted of 7 sisters. There were Seven Wise Men of Greece, Seven Wonders of the World, the Seven Sleepers. And so it went, this number seeming to attract especial attention.

And in some ways the number 7 does appear to have some peculiarities. When it is divided into 1, in the attempt to express 1-7 in the form of a decimal, we get the following constantly recurring set of figures:

1 4 2 8 5 7

Now multiply the number which they express successively by the whole numbers running from 1 to 6. We get

1 4 2 8 5 7  
2 8 5 7 1 4  
4 2 8 5 7 1  
5 7 1 4 2 8  
8 5 7 1 4 2  
7 1 4 2 8 5

Notice, first of all, that every one of these six numbers is expressed by the very same set of figures. Second, the order of the figures is never changed. This can more readily be observed, perhaps, by arranging the figures 1 4 2 8 5 7 in a circle, when any one of the numbers can be read by going around the circle. Third, add the columns, six in all, of the set of numbers. You will get 27 for each column. Pretty curious, isn't it?

#### A FAMINE SONG.

##### Grim Chorus Sung by Starving Russian Peasants.

In eighteen Governments the Russian peasantry are menaced with famine the coming winter. Want and even starvation are already reported. The Samara mujiks are selling their horses for \$3 to \$5, their cows for \$5 to \$7.50, and sheep for about \$1. Typhoid and scurvy are rife. Charitable societies and individuals are devising a programme of joint relief. The Government was assailed in the Duma on the opening day of the session on the ground of the inadequate measure's adopted or projected to cope with the situation.

In the meantime the peasants themselves would seem to be facing their lot with characteristic fatalism. A special correspondent who has been visiting the Eastern Governments quotes a song which is enjoying a great vogue in the Ekaterinburg district. The following is an almost literal translation of the chorus:—

"We'll drink our corn  
And beg our bread;  
We'll sell the crusts,  
And drink instead.  
If no one hears  
Our starving cry,  
Why death will come  
And we shall die."

#### PERSONAL.

Cholly—"How much chloroform will it take to kill a puppy?"  
Druggist—"Tut, tut! Stop smoking cigarettes and you'll think better of it."

In thirty years the production of petroleum has increased nineteen times.



# THE SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

INTERNATIONAL LESSON,  
DEC. 19.

## Lesson XI.—Nehemiah and His Enemies, Neh. 8. Golden Text, Psa. 27. 1.

Verse 1 Geshem the Arabian—He was the third of the persistent opponents of Nehemiah. A recently deciphered inscription indicates that Sargon, King of Assyria, imported an Arabian colony into Samaria. This man was a chief of one of these tribes. The rest of the enemies consisted of hostile adjoining communities, all of whom were associated in this common attack upon a city of which they were jealous.

Had not set up the doors—This clause is added to qualify the statement just made. The reason for the postponement of this part of the construction is apparent. The work of setting the doors in the great fortified gateway was one requiring extreme care and skill. When the pressure of building the walls in face of such odds is understood, it is clear that no time could be wasted upon the nice task of swinging these heavy doors, and temporary barricades would be erected in the openings.

2. The plain of One—In the territory of Benjamin, about six miles north of Lydia, and identical with the modern Kefr Ana. A journey there and return, in addition to a conference, would require two or three days' absence. Nehemiah immediately saw through the thinly concealed plot, which was of course to do him mischief—probably to murder him—the other conspirators meanwhile making a sudden advance upon the city. The proposition for a peaceable conference, in view of the straits of many within the walls, might have had an innocent enough look had it not been for the fact that the city was now thoroughly protected. So, while Nehemiah makes no accusations of fraud, he sees that his enemies, failing in one way, were simply trying another.

3. Doing a great work—No doubt the work would cease if its chief supported and inspiration should leave it. Nehemiah was not overstating the case. A great work it was, and he does not estimate too high the worth of his own relation to it. It was a task undertaken unselfishly and accomplished providentially. That is the measure of the value of all labor.

5. Then sent Sanballat—This man at any rate had the quality of pertinacity. Though rebuffed four times, he yet sends his messenger a fifth time, this time with the insult of an open, that is, unsealed, letter. The object of this was to spread the contents broadcast. Obviously the servant and the conspirators within the city would read the letter before it reached Nehemiah.

6. Gashmu saith it—Probably another form of Geshem, the Arabian's name. That this man was engaged in spreading the report was intended to show that it was no mere tattled rumor, for Geshem was a man of influence. The ru-

great national enterprise, he has a sacred duty to restrain him from cowardice.

Being such as I—A layman and not a priest, and therefore forbidden expressly by law from taking refuge in the temple (compare the case of Uzziah).

I will not go in—He refuses point blank, either to show a craven spirit in deserting his post, or to desecrate the temple inclosure.

12. I discerned, and, lo—The interjection indicates that it suddenly dawned upon him that the prophet's intention was diabolical. A man capable of such unworthy suggestions could not have been sent by God, but was an agent of Sanballat; and his prophecy was no message from God, but an explosion against himself; and, finally, the conclusion was inevitable, that he was hired by Tobiah and Sanballat, the order of the names being inverted because of the former's active relation to the conspiracy inside the gates.

13. Matter for an evil report—This was the end in view in the treasonable act of Shemaiah. If Nehemiah should consult his personal safety, rather than the sanctity of the house of God, he would be discredited in the eyes of the priesthood and the stricter Jews.

14. Noadiah—Women sometimes shared the gift of prophecy. Nehemiah's keenness, in perceiving the true inwardness of Shemaiah's base proposal, helped him to see through the whole plot, in which a number of the disaffected prophets were involved, to intimidate him, and ruin his reputation.

15. The month Elul—This was the sixth month of the sacred year, and the last of the civil, and corresponded to the last of August and first of September. Fifty and two days is a remarkably brief time for the completion of so stupendous a work, but the large number of workmen employed upon it, together with the energy and skill in management displayed by Nehemiah, make it not inconceivable.

18. Because he was the son-in-law of Shecaniah—This was the explanation of a serious trouble within the city. The intermarriage of leading Jewish families with heathen, a custom that Ezra had severely condemned, was bearing bitter fruit. The families allied by marriage with Tobiah made prominent mention of his good deeds (19) before Nehemiah, so as to put the latter off his guard, while they retailed the governor's words to Tobiah, and so acted as spies.

## WAYS OF FRENCH SMUGGLERS

### Bishop's Carriage—Hollow Blocks of Stone Filled With Alcohol.

Describing a visit paid to the customs laboratory a correspondent quotes the manager as saying that one enterprising innovator in an endeavor to avoid the duty on alcohol had embodied it in soap of which 70 per cent. was pure spirit, says Le Temps.

Then there is the imitation baby carried by a nurse, who by a judicious squeeze produces melancholy wails. A hearse escorted by four undertaker's men and followed by a weeping family conveyed to the cemetery a coffin sumptuously draped in black velvet which contained 180 liters of alcohol.

# The Home

## Notes of Particular Interest to Women Folks

### DAINTY DISHES.

**Stewed Heart.**—Thoroughly clean a sheep's heart, and then stuff it with breadcrumbs, sweet herbs, pepper and salt. Stew it gently for two hours, thicken and color the gravy, and pour round. This is a nice change from roast heart, and more digestible.

**Marmalade Pudding.**—Take four ounces each of breadcrumbs, suet, flour, and marmalade. Add a teaspoonful of baking-powder and a little sugar. Beat an egg well with a little milk, stir into the dry ingredients, making a nice light dough. Put into a greased basin, steam for three hours, and serve.

**Savory Cabbage.**—Wash a nice spring cabbage and boil it in water with a little salt and a small piece of soda. When nearly cooked, take it up, drain, and squeeze it, and put it into a clean saucepan with one ounce of butter, a tablespoonful of grated cheese, pepper and salt. Pour over a little milk. Stew for ten minutes, and serve very hot.

**Buttermilk Scones.**—Put into a basin one pound and a half of flour, a teaspoonful of salt, and a small teaspoonful of carbonate of soda. Mix into a stiff dough with buttermilk, or, if that is not possible, sour milk. Roll to about one inch cut into rounds, and bake on a floured tin.

**Nantwich Cutlets.**—Boil a teaspoonful of rice in milk, or water if you cannot spare milk, then drain it. Beat up an egg, and add to the rice, with a quarter of a pound of washed and dried currants, a little nutmeg, and sugar to taste. Stir in sufficient flour to thicken the mixture, form into cutlets, and fry in boiling fat. Dry on paper before the fire. Serve with a little sugar dusted over.

**Cake Without Eggs.**—Rub a quarter of a pound of good dripping into a pound of flour, add a quarter of a pound of sugar and six ounces of currants. Dissolve a quarter of an ounce of carbonate of soda in half a pint of sour milk, mix this with the dry ingredients, beat for a minute or two, and bake immediately in a greased tin. If baked steadily for two hours an excellent cake will be produced.

**Cream Pancakes.**—Beat up with the yolks of six eggs two whites, one pint of cream, and two tablespoonfuls of fine flour; add two ounces of fresh butter, clarified, and two glasses of good wine. Before frying, rub the pan over with fresh butter; do not turn the pancakes, but roll out on to a dish, and serve with sugar sifted over them.

**Ham-and-Egg Pasty.**—Take half a pound of self-raising flour and a quarter of a pound of butter, mix into a paste with milk, and roll out thin into a round. Cut half a pound of ham into dice, and lay on one half of the paste, adding pepper to taste. Turn the other half of the paste over the ham, after

from shrinking when not in use, paint them over with glycerine.

For starching muslins, gingham, etc., dissolve a piece of alum the size of a filbert for every pint of starch.

If the juice of a fruit pie runs out, try putting a small funnel of white paper in the centre of the upper crust.

Hang a small bag over the kitchen table for a ball of cord. Work an eyelet in the bottom through which draw the string. Handy for tying packages.

A bed spread with worn portions cut out and the good trimmed into shape and hemmed makes excellent towels for the children's use in the bathroom.

A great convenience when cleaning house is a stick with a notch in the end that will lift picture cords off from hooks without so much stepping up and down.

When patching wall paper tear the edges of the piece about to be used. When pasted upon the wall a tear in paper shows less than a cut with knife or scissors.

If a meal has been taken within two or three hours of going to bed to sleep on the left side is to give the stomach a task which is difficult in the extreme to perform.

Pillow slips should be a half inch narrower than the pillows they are to cover. This snugness in fit insures the pillows standing upright when the bed is made up.

A clean brick represents an excellent makeshift stand for a flat-iron. Brick retains heat better than the perforated metal rests which are usually employed for the purpose.

If cooked meat is ready for the table before it is required, place in a dish and set over a pan of boiling water placed on the back of the range and covered with cloth.

If baby has swallowed a fish-bone and is in danger of choking, use your forefinger in the form of a hook, and even at the risk of considerable pain relieve the little sufferer.

A little kerosene added to warm water when washing windows, especially outside, will remove the sticky condition often found better than alcohol, ammonia, or whiting.

Try washing of the hands with a little sugar added to the soap. This greatly increases the lather and cleansing power, and will remove dirt and chemical stains in a wonderful manner.

A never failing rule to follow in placing sleeves is to measure one-half back of the shoulder seam, measure one-half of the arm hole, and place the underseam of sleeve at this point.

## CANCER NON-COMMUNICABLE.

Fourth Report of the Imperial Cancer Research Fund.

The fourth scientific report of the



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bian's name. That this man was  
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no mere tattled rumor, for Gesham  
was a man of influence. The rum-  
or was twofold; first, that the  
Jews, under the leadership of  
Nehemiah, thought to rebel against  
the Persian authority; and, sec-  
ondly, that the governor hoped to  
establish himself as king of Judah,  
as evidenced by his, and not the  
people's, building of the wall. By  
the promulgation of this informa-  
tion, Sanballat hoped to intimidate  
the builders and hinder the work,  
besides bringing Nehemiah to a  
point where he would have to con-  
cede the proposed interview.

According to these words—Of the  
report among the nations.

7. Prophets to preach of thee —  
Just as we later come upon false  
prophets in the city, so there no  
doubt were those who vigorously  
supported Nehemiah. Among these,  
perhaps, was Malachi. Some have  
thought that such words as those  
of Zechariah (9:19) were misinter-  
preted by Sanballat.

Shall it be reported to the king  
—This was the chief danger.  
Though a similar suspicion (Neh.  
2:19) had arisen upon Nehemiah's  
first approach to Jerusalem, its ab-  
surdity was self-evident. But now  
he had securely ensconced himself  
in a fortified city, and he knew that  
sovereigns like Artaxerxes, how-  
ever good natured they might be;  
were apt to give eager audience to  
any who brought tales of treason,  
and did not stop to investigate  
very closely.

Let us take counsel—Bishop Ryle  
gives this paraphrase: "We offer  
you the opportunity of an inter-  
view, in the course of which you can  
clear yourself of these charges  
which are the talk of every bazaar;  
and we will do all in our power to  
contradict them in your name."

9. O God, strengthen thou my  
hands—As usual, Nehemiah, in a  
perilous situation, resorts to  
prayer. He asks that he may be  
protected from the attacks of his  
enemies, and that he may have  
wisdom to steer a straight course  
through these calumnies. He re-  
pudiates them as utterly false, and  
manufactured out of the deceptive  
heart of Sanballat. But, however  
untrue a libellous report may be,  
it is hardly ever possible for the  
victim to clear himself fully.

10. Shemaiah—Otherwise un-  
known. He was son of Delaiah (1  
Chron. 24:18), and a priest or prop-  
het. When Nehemiah went to his  
house, or why he went, we do not  
know. Perhaps he was sent for in  
this third attempt to entrap him.  
Perhaps he sought some help from  
this representative of religion. But  
the mettle of the prophets of those  
days was far below the average.  
Another peculiar statement is, that  
Shemaiah was shut up. This may  
indicate that he was pretending  
himself to be in personal peril on  
account of his allegiance to the  
governor, and needed, therefore, to  
seclude himself. Some take it to  
refer to ceremonial pollution. But  
in that case it is difficult to under-  
stand his proposal to accompany  
Nehemiah to the sacred precincts  
of the temple, where they may find  
refuge from some unexplained  
danger.

11. Should such a man as I flee?  
—As governor, and director of a

walls. A hearse escorted by four  
undertaker's men and followed by  
a weeping family conveyed to the  
cemetery a coffin sumptuously draped  
in black velvet which contained  
180 liters of alcohol.

One day a cart drawn by three  
horses rumbled into Paris under  
the noses of our customs officers.  
Apparently the cart was laden with  
square blocks of stone; in reality  
every stone was hollow and contain-  
ed alcohol.

First class railway carriages  
sometimes conceal lace, chronomet-  
ers and expensive cigars. Motor  
cars have false bottoms, logs of  
wood are hollowed out. The in-  
formant went on:

"One day the people of a little  
village near the Belgian frontier  
were waiting for the Bishop of  
Chimay, who was crossing to con-  
duct a confirmation. All the vil-  
lagers in their best clothes lined  
the road. Presently the carriage  
comes in sight, crosses the frontier,  
and the bishop, carrying the pastoral  
cross very gravely, stretches out a  
hand to bless the custom house of-  
ficers, who bow their heads to re-  
ceive it. Then the carriage rolls  
on.

"Twenty minutes later there  
comes a second carriage, much less  
elaborately filled up than the first,  
containing a second Bishop of  
Chimay! Suspicion fell on the ec-  
clesiastic, and he was requested to  
leave the vehicle without delay and  
his carriage was ransacked from  
end to end. Of course nothing is  
found. Not a stain on the charac-  
ter of the bishop, who naturally is  
the real one.

"You remember how Henri  
Rochefort's paper 'La Lanterne'  
when placed under an interdict  
under the Empire was smuggled in  
from Belgium concealed inside  
busts representing Napoleon III."   
Going on to speak of the various  
adulterations practised the manager  
concluded:

"But the worst crime of these  
people is the adulterations of milk:  
80,000 French children are annual-  
ly poisoned—yes, I deliberately say  
poisoned—by adulterated or dirty or  
infected milk."

#### MEAN THING.

He—"I suppose, wifey, you  
wouldn't care to go to the theatre  
in your old dress?"

She—"Oh, dear, no. Of course  
not."

He—"That's what I thought, so  
I—"

She—"Yes, dear—"

He—"So I only bought one tick-  
et for myself."

#### NOTHING ELSE TO DO.

Cityman—"I suppose you farm-  
ers have an easy time in winter?"

Farmer—"Oh, yes; we usually  
lays abed till 5 o'clock in th' fore-  
noon, an' knocks off fer th' day by  
8 o'clock in th' afternoon!"

#### QUITE NICE FOR THEM.

Tall Miss—"Are the Young-  
hones going to take a big house?"

Little Maiden—"Just a five room  
house for themselves and a ware-  
house for their wedding presents."

#### GOOD.

"He has a good wife, hasn't he?"  
"I should say so. He can always  
borrow money from her when he  
goes broke himself."

into a paste with milk, and roll  
thin into a round. Cut half a  
pound of ham into dice, and lay on  
one half of the paste, adding pep-  
per to taste. Turn the other half  
of the paste over the ham, after  
adding a small piece of dripping.  
Turn in edges, leaving a small hole  
in centre, through which to pour  
an egg with the yolk broken. Close  
up, and bake on a greased tin for  
half an hour.

Delicious Fritters.—Ingredients:  
Half a pound of flour, four ounces  
of Demerara sugar, four ounces of  
currants, two large apples, two  
eggs, half a pint of milk. Mix the  
flour, sugar, and currants well to-  
gether. Add a teaspoonful of bak-  
ing powder and a pinch of salt.  
Add the apples, finely chopped, with  
eggs and sufficient milk to make  
the mixture into a stiff batter.  
Cover the frying pan with lard or  
clarified dripping, and when this  
boils pour in the mixture. The frit-  
ters should be about the size of a  
tea-cup top. Fry to a golden brown  
and serve with sweet sauce.

Delicious Potato Cakes.—To use  
up cold boiled potatoes, take one  
pound of flour, two ounces of but-  
ter, half a teaspoonful of bicarbon-  
ate of soda, half a teaspoonful of  
cream of tartar, and a little salt.  
Rub the butter into the flour, then  
add the soda and cream of tartar,  
and salt. Put half a pound of po-  
tatoes into a basin, and mash them,  
taking care that no lumps remain;  
then add them to the flour, and  
lightly mix together. Make into a  
light dough with cold milk, turn on  
to a floured board, and roll out to  
half-inch thickness. Then cut in  
rounds, and bake in a hot oven for  
bake another ten minutes. Serve  
straight from the oven split open  
and well buttered.

Scotch Brawn.—Boil an ox-cheek  
and two calf's feet very slowly till  
the meat slips off the bones. Chop  
the meat finely, season well with  
pepper, salt, and allspice, moisten  
with a little of the broth, and then  
press into a cake tin. Turn out  
and serve.

Apple Jelly.—Save the cores and  
parings of your cooking apples.  
When the supply is sufficient, boil  
them for three or four hours, using  
three pints of water to each pound.  
Add a few cloves and lemon to  
taste. Strain when boiled, and  
add half a pound of sugar to each  
pint of juice, replacing the whole,  
and boiling quickly for another  
hour. Pour into jars while hot.

#### HINTS FOR THE HOME.

If clothespins are heated in the  
oven they will not stick when used.  
Stains on knives may be removed  
by scouring with raw potato dipped  
in bath brick.

Do not put a glove away that is  
still damp from the heat of the  
hand.

When you have occasion to use  
plaster of paris mix it with vinegar  
instead of water.

A red tablecloth that is too-fad-  
ed to be used on the table makes  
a good crumb cloth.

Too much salt in gravy may be  
counteracted by putting a pinch of  
brown sugar in it.

Equal parts of tea and lukewarm  
water is a good solution for spong-  
ing plants.

By rubbing nickel and silver or-  
naments with a wooden cloth sat-  
urated with spirits of ammonia they  
may be kept bright with but a little  
trouble.

To prevent wooden pails or tubs

CANCER NON-COMMUNICABLE.

#### Fourth Report of the Imperial Cancer Research Fund.

The fourth scientific report of the  
Imperial Cancer Research Fund has  
just been issued in London. It  
contains important papers by Dr.  
Haaland, Dr. Murray and Dr.  
Bashford. These are highly tech-  
nical and profusely illustrated with  
drawings of microscopic prepara-  
tions which will convey little to the  
lay mind. But every one may learn  
something of their cancer problem  
as a whole from Dr. Bashford's  
general introduction. Among ques-  
tions which were early set at rest  
were that cancer was not due to a  
common casual parasite; that it  
was not a recent acquirement, and  
that the age incidence of cancer  
in man and animals is in the ab-  
sence of communicability, com-  
patible only with the recognition  
of the intrinsic cellular nature of  
cancerous proliferation. Another  
conclusion from experiments is that  
each tumor is peculiarly and gen-  
etically related to the individual in  
which it arises. The individuality  
of cancer, both as regards the  
organism attacked and the tumor,  
seems to have been placed at last  
beyond all further doubt. Such  
a relationship has long been main-  
tained in various forms on the basis  
of deductions drawn from micro-  
scopical examination of the tissues  
at the site of the primary lesion and  
from the nature of dissemination;  
but this interpretation of the find-  
ings has been as vehemently dispu-  
ted. The combination of the results  
arrived at by microscopical investi-  
gation and experimental study ap-  
pears to complete the demonstra-  
tion a long step has thus been  
taken in defining the direction in  
which the future investigation of  
cancer is alone likely to be profit-  
able.

The study of the occurrence of can-  
cer in mankind and in domesticated  
animals in widely separated parts of  
the globe has shown that the  
practice of peculiar customs, involv-  
ing the application of chronic irrit-  
ants to particular parts of the body,  
provokes the disease in situations  
and organs from which it is absent  
when these customs do not obtain.  
It is reasonable to suppose that the  
frequency of cancer would be  
diminished if such practices as the  
use of the Kangri in Kashmir,  
chewing betel nut in India and  
eating very hot rice in China were  
discontinued. It is also reasonable  
to assume that the introduction into  
England of these exotic customs  
would greatly increase the fre-  
quency of cancer in this country.

#### WHAT SHE REQUIRES.

Success is such a fickle dame

With words you cannot woo her,  
To win her and her partner fame  
You've got to be a doer.

Mars, which scientists say is dry-  
ing up, is older than our earth.

The Dublin timber trade dispute  
has been settled. Wages are the  
same as before the strike.

Mr. S. Brown Stevenson, of  
Glencraigh, Ralmacnaghy, coun-  
ty Down, left \$286,860.

The fact that a mule didn't know  
any better than to kick you doesn't  
add to the enjoyment of your stay  
in the hospital.

## NEURALGIA CURED

This Painful Trouble is Due to Poverty of Blood.

Neuralgia is one of the most painful maladies that afflicts humanity. The trouble is usually seated in the face and head, following the course of some nerve, but it attacks other parts of the system as well. It is characterized by acute pains, sometimes steady, at others spasmodic and darting, headaches and a feeling as though the forehead was a band of iron. Medical authorities agree that neuralgia is a cry of the nerves for better food, and that if the blood is purified and enriched the trouble will disappear. This is the reason why Dr. Williams' Pink Pills cure even the most severe cases of neuralgia. They actually make new, rich blood which feeds the tired, starved nerves and thus cure the trouble, at the same time leaving the sufferer in better health in every way than was formerly enjoyed. In proof we give the case of Mr. G. Brooks, of Aurora, Ont., who says: "About two years ago, while working in Collingwood, I was attacked with neuralgia, which became so bad that I was frequently unable to go to work. The pain would start over my right eye and would then spread to the whole face, and caused me the greatest agony. I was under the care of a good doctor, but his treatment did not do more than give me temporary relief, and I was therefore an almost constant sufferer. Acting on the advice of my wife I finally decided to give Dr. Williams' Pink Pills a trial, and I am profoundly thankful that I did so, as in the course of a few weeks I began to improve, and after a further use of the Pills the trouble disappeared and I have not since had any trace of it. I may also add that while taking the Pills my weight increased by nine pounds, which shows that the Pills are a body builder as well as a nerve restorer."

Sold by all medicine dealers or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

## THE EGG BUSINESS.

Great Britain Is the Chief Market For Russian Trade.

Some idea of the magnitude of the egg trade in Russia can be obtained from the exports, which in 1910 amounted to \$32,799,835, the number of eggs sent out of the country totalling 2,998,000,000, as compared with 2,845,000,000, valued at \$32,039,180, in 1909.

Great Britain was the largest purchaser, taking during the year eggs worth \$13,098,510; Germany \$3,380,210; Austria-Hungary, \$5,868,425; Denmark, \$402,215; other countries, \$4,050,475. The average price at Riga, the principal egg market, was \$11.13 a thousand. It is believed that \$100,000,000 is a low estimate of the value of eggs produced annually in Russia; some go so far as to double those figures, but there are no official data upon which to base an estimate.

Poultry raising is an important industry in Ireland. In the year

# CLOSE QUARTERS;

OR, THE HOUSE IN THE RUE BARBETTE

## CHAPTER VIII.—(Cont'd)

Even the self-possessed Turk could not conceal his amazement at the manner in which his strange visitor conducted himself.

"That is a point we have not yet decided," he said. "We are strangely unwilling to take the life of such a brave man as yourself. If we were assured of your silence, we would even be disposed to permit you to escape this time, with a solemn warning not to cross our path again. But we feel that clemency is out of the question. There is one hope—a slight one, it is true—which may permit us to gag you and tie you securely in this room, where you will be left in peace for at least forty-eight hours, after which time a telegram can be dispatched to any address you choose to supply us with. But really, owing to unforeseen circumstances, this chance of a reprieve is remote. It wholly depends upon the arrival, or otherwise, at this house, of a gentleman whom we expect at 11.15."

Brett leaned forward in his chair and took out his watch. The other misunderstood his movement, and each of the other three promptly produced a revolver.

Brett laughed quite heartily. "Really, gentlemen," he cried, "your nervousness is ludicrous."

He saw that he yet had five minutes' grace before his self-constituted judges would proceed to execute their sentence. As for the Turks, they were manifestly ashamed of having betrayed such trepidation, and they replaced the weapons so readily staged.

"That is a point in my favor," thought Brett. "Next time, if I do wish to reach my revolver, I may be able to get the draw on them first."

"During the interval," said Hussein-ul-Mulk suavely, "is there anything you wish to do—any letters to write or that sort of thing?"

"No," said Brett. "I do not think so; it seems to me that you have thoroughly misunderstood the purpose of this meeting. I came here in order to obtain from you particulars which will lead to the release of Mr. Talbot and redeem his character in the eyes of his superiors. I did not come here to be killed, Hussein-ul-Mulk. I am not going to be killed. If you touch a hair of my head you will only leave this house for a prison, and subsequently for the gallows. And so, you see, you are talking childishly when you dangle these threats and preliminaries to immediate execution before my eyes. It is not you, but I, who will dictate the terms on which we part. It may perhaps interest you to explain this new phase of the situation to your fellow-countrymen, and the matter will also serve to dissipate the few minutes yet that have to elapse before 11.15."

Hussein-ul-Mulk made no direct reply to this remarkable speech. That it impressed him was quite evident from his manner. Earthwith

out mercy and make a dash for liberty.

But at the same moment there came to him an odd thought. His friend the jeweller of the Rue de la Paix had not given him a lesson in vain during the previous afternoon.

The barrister suspected—in fact, he was almost sure—that the gems now flaunting their half-revealed glories in the light of the day—for not one of them had undergone the final process peculiar to the diamond cutters' trade—were not the real stones stolen from Albert Gate but well-fabricated substitutes.

(To be continued.)

## CONDITIONS IN SIBERIA.

Population Increases at Rate of Half a Million a Year.

The population of Siberia, now eleven millions, increases at the rate of half a million per annum. Siberia contains two contiguous districts, capable of being civilized, each as large as Prussia, viz., the plain in the Government of Tobolsk, east of the Urals, and north of the Trans-Siberian railway, and the steeper in the Government of Tomsk, south of the railway to the Altai mountains. These two districts have the densest population of any in Siberia, raise the most grain, produce the most butter, and use the most agricultural and other machinery. The mountain districts of Middle Siberia only have a few cultivable valleys along the rivers, and there is still less useful land east of Lake Baikal.

In no country was a railway destined to work such changes as in Siberia, although it runs exactly on the old trading route. The huge difficulties incident to travel and transportation in pre-railway times had developed a condition where all trading was transacted once a year, while roads and rivers were passable, at markets or fairs, and merchandise was hauled, in as many months as it now takes days, to its ultimate destination. Trading instincts naturally developed in a speculative direction and monopoly was the ideal of the Siberian trader. Prices were subject to rapid and great variation.

## SICKLY BABIES CRY

## HEALTHY BABIES SMILE

Baby's cry indicates distress—his smile health and contentment. The mother may be sure there never was a baby who cried for the fun of it. Baby's disposition is naturally a happy one and it is only distress such as may be brought on by a disordered condition of the stomach or bowels that can change this. So, mothers, to keep your baby happy you must keep him well—Baby's Own Tablets will do this. Concerning them Mrs. Chas. Potvin, Causapatria, N. S., writes: "Baby's Own Tablets have proved an excellent remedy for my baby. I had been

## CURED HIS WIFE

SO HE TRIED THEM

LEON SERGENT FOUND NEW HEALTH IN DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS.

Suffered with his Kidneys and was very feeble, but now he is feeling fine.

Saint Walburg, Sask., Nov. 13 (Special).—One healthy, happy family in this neighborhood are always ready to speak a good word for Dodd's Kidney Pills. They are Mr. and Mrs. Leon Sergent, and here is the reason in Mr. Sergent's own words:

"I suffered with my Kidneys and I was very feeble. My urine was thick and had a brick-dust sediment. As Dodd's Kidney Pills had already cured my wife I bought three boxes. Now my urine is normal and I feel fine."

It is statements such as these that give Dodd's Kidney Pills their popularity. They are no cure-all. They simply cure diseased Kidneys and the ills that come from diseased Kidneys. But no matter what neighborhood you visit you find some man or woman who has been sick and in pain and has been cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills. For a score of years this work has been going on and to-day in every part of Canada Dodd's Kidney Pills are known as the one sure cure for Kidney Disease, Urinary Troubles, Backache, Rheumatism, Dropsy, Diabetes and Bright's Disease.

## MAN A MILLION YEARS OLD.

Geologist Considers Race Existed Before Glacial Period.

That the age of man is no less than a million years, is the conclusion that Dr. W. Allen Sturge, president of the prehistoric society of East Anglia, England, concludes from studies based largely on the neolithic flint instruments found in North West Suffolk. He says: "Neolithic man goes back to some period between 200,000 and 300,000 years, and it would seem that we have not even then reached the beginning of the period. Drift man was flourishing from 1,000,000 to about 700,000 years ago. Neither figure is a limit; the later figure is probably nearer a limit than the earlier. Between the end of the Drift and the beginning of the Neolithic we have the great cave periods, which would thus seem to have occupied anything from 200,000 to 400,000 years. Behind Drift man are vast ages of which we are only beginning to get the first glimpses."

"But it now seems evident that man was already on the earth in early Pliocene times, and we must not be surprised if proofs are ultimately brought forward that genus homo goes back even farther than that. It has become almost a shibboleth that man first appeared in Pleistocene times, but I affirm that it is no more than shibboleth."

Dr. Sturge has found flint instruments which, he contends, were scratched by glacial action. That is a glacial geology. Since Neolithic man many instruments of Neolithic types were made. is



produced annually in Russia some go so far as to double these figures, but there are no official data upon which to base an estimate.

Poultry raising is an important industry in Ireland. In the year 1909, in addition to the home consumption, \$4,171,933 worth of poultry and \$13,933,864 worth of eggs were exported, and the industry is believed to be increasing.

In many localities where the soil is too poor for crops farmers have found that the return from poultry raising has amply made up for the lack of productive soil, and they are turning their attention more and more to this industry. England is the chief market, and transportation facilities to that country are such that quick and cheap deliveries can be made.

According to the latest available statistics there are 20,412,257 domestic fowls in Japan, valued at \$4,145,171. The number of eggs produced is given at 63,760,000 dozen valued at \$7,159,310. Japan, however, cannot supply its own demand for eggs, importations in 1910 amounting to 11,535,153 pounds valued at \$767,912, almost entirely from China.

### COFFEE HEART

As Dangerous as the Tobacco or Whiskey Heart.

"Coffee heart" is common to many coffee users and is liable to send the owner to his or her long home if the drug is persisted in. You can run 30 or 40 yards and find out if your heart is troubled. A lady who was once a victim of the "coffee heart" writes from Oregon:

"I have been a habitual user of coffee all my life and have suffered very much in recent years from ailments which I became satisfied were directly due to the poison in the beverage, such as torpid liver and indigestion, which in turn made my complexion blotchy and muddy.

"Then my heart became affected. It would beat most rapidly just after I drank my coffee, and go below normal as the coffee effect wore off. Sometimes my pulse would go as high as 137 beats to the minute. My family were greatly alarmed at my condition and at last mother persuaded me to begin the use of Postum.

"I gave up coffee entirely and absolutely, and made Postum my sole table beverage. This was 6 months ago, and all my ills, the indigestion, inactive liver and rickety heart action, have passed away, and my complexion has become clear and natural. The improvement set in very soon after I made the change, just as soon as the coffee poison had time to work out of my system.

"My husband has also been greatly benefited by the use of Postum, and we find that a simple breakfast with Postum, is as satisfying and more strengthening than the old heavier meal we used to have with coffee."

Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

"There's a reason," and it is explained in the little book, "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true and full of human interest.

Many a fellow is afraid to propose to a girl for fear she might say yes.

men, and the matter will also serve to dissipate the few minutes yet that have to elapse before 11.15."

Hussein-ul-Mulk made no direct reply to this remarkable speech. That it impressed him was quite evident from his manner. Forthwith an animated but subdued conversation took place between the triumvirate.

While it was in progress a peculiar knock was heard on the outside door of the apartment.

"Ah! he come," said Hussein-ul-Mulk in French. He left the room in order to meet the new arrival. He returned without delay, bringing with him a man very different from those whom Brett had encountered thus far in connection with the crime. This was a dapper little Frenchman, wizened, yellow-skinned, black-haired, and dressed almost in the extreme of fashion. He at once addressed himself to the barrister.

"They tell me, my friend," he said, "that you have thrust your finger into the pie which the friends of his Majesty the Sultan are preparing for him. It is a bad business. You are too soon for the banquet. The result is that your poor little finger may get burnt, as the pie is still being cooked."

The man smiled maliciously at his feeble witticism, and Brett instantly took his measure as a member of the gang of flash thieves which infest Paris. He knew that such a ruffian was both pitiless and cowardly. Whatever the outcome of the situation which faced him, he would not stoop to conciliatory methods with this despicable rascal.

"I suppose," he said, "that the only part of the affair which concerns you is the robbery."

"Well, and what if it is?"

"I can only say that your political friends will be well advised to keep a close eye on you, for you would rob them just as soon as the persons against whom they have employed you."

The little thief laughed cynically. "You are right, mon vieux, I would be delighted to have the chance. But this time it is impossible. The stones are too big. They are worth—pouf!—millions of francs, so I must be content to receive my pay, which is good."

"Have you intrusted the Sultan's diamonds to the care of a scamp like this?" said Brett, addressing himself to Hussein, and inwardly resolving that unless the conversation by chance took a turn favorable to himself, he would forthwith open fire on the gang and endeavor to escape.

"Yes," cried the conspirator with a savage laugh. "You have never seen them, Mr. Brett? Here they are. To many men the sight would be a pleasant one. To you it should be terrible, for the arrival of these diamonds at this moment means that you must die."

So saying, he produced from an inner pocket of his frock-coat a large, plain morocco case. The pressure of a spring caused the lid to fly back, revealing to the eyes of those in the room a collection of diamonds marvelous by reason of the size and magnificence of each stone.

In the center reposed the Imperial diamond itself. For an instant Brett reflected that whilst the other men were fascinated by the spectacle he would have a good opportunity to shoot some of them with-

you must keep him well—Baby's Own Tablets will do this. Concerning them Mrs. Chas. Potvin, Causapatoia, N. S., writes: "Baby's Own Tablets have proved an excellent remedy for my baby. I had been using syrups, but they failed to help him and he cried constantly. The Tablets cured him and now he is a fat, healthy child." The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Young man, never make the mistake of telling a girl that you are unworthy of her. She may marry you and remind you of it.

Nearly all children are subject to worms, and many are born with them. Spare them suffering by using Mother Graves' Worm Expeller, the best remedy of the kind that can be had.

Somehow or other the people who are satisfied to take things as they find them never seem to find anything.

Why suffer from corns when they can be painlessly rooted out by using Holloway's Corn Cure.

Self-possession is nine points of the lawyer.

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, &c.

IN A GOOD MANY CASES.

"Pa, what's a housewife?"

"In a good many cases housewives are ladies who merely come home to sleep and dress."

Trial is Inexpensive.—To those who suffer from dyspepsia, indigestion, rheumatism or any ailment arising from derangement of the digestive system, a trial of Parmelee's Vegetable Pills is recommended, should the sufferer be unacquainted with them. The trial will be inexpensive and the result will be another customer for this excellent medicine. So effective is their action that many cures can certainly be traced to their use where other pills have proved ineffective.

A practical joke is never what it's cracked up to be.

Minard's Liniment Cures Cargot in Cows.

"You say Mr. Flubson has great executive ability?" "Yes," replied the cynical officeholder. "What makes you think so?" "Because he manages to hold a job without being competent to do any kind of real work."



that it is no more than shibboleth." Dr. Sturge has found flint instruments which, he contends, were scratched by glacial action. That is a glacial geology. Since Neolithic man many instruments of Neolithic types were made, is against all views of glacial geology. Since Neolithic man came to Britain, the doctor holds, there has been an ice age not continuous, but divided into sub periods of glaciation. Proof of this is found in humanly worked flints presenting sharply defined types of scratching.

### POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

And a man's wife loves a cheerful giver.

A man isn't necessarily square because he is cornered.

It looks as if it would be easy for other people to be good.

Some men are so small that even a three for five cigar is too big for them.

The man who can talk without saying anything is the one who shines in society.

But moht people who do the right thing at the right time earn a lot of money they never get.

A girl usually thinks her voice harmonizes with the piano—and the chances are that the piano needs tuning.

### THE REAL TRICK.

"Is it difficult to learn to carve?"

"No, but it takes practice to carve and reserve all the choice bits for yourself without attracting attention."

What some men lack in backbone they make up in cheek.

Minard's Liniment Cures Distemper.

### APPROPRIATE.

"She dyed her raven hair."

"Possibly to go with crow's feet."

### ICE.

Ella—"Do I make myself plain?"

Stella—"Somebody was, if you haven't."

Muscular Rheumatism Subsided.—When one is a sufferer from muscular rheumatism he cannot do better than to have the region rubbed with Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. There is no oil that so speedily shows its effect in subduing pain. Let the rubbing be brisk and continue until ease is secured. There is more virtue in a bottle of it than can be fully estimated.

### BUT HE COULD.

An uneducated Scotsman made a fortune. One day he and an acquaintance were talking, when the latter said to old Duncan:—

"Say, Duncan, you don't know enough to go in when it rains. Why, you can't even spell 'bird.'"

"B-u-r-d," said Duncan.

"I tell you you don't know anything. Why, if you had to spell to make a living you'd have been dead years ago. I'll bet you a hundred you can't spell 'bird.'"

"I'll tak' ye," quickly replied Duncan.

After the money was put up, Duncan said, "B-i-r-d."

"That ain't the way you spelled it the first time."

"I wasna bettin' then."



## Makes a Bad Cough Vanish Quickly--or Money Back

The Quickest, Surest Cough Remedy You Ever Used. Family Supply for 50c. Saves You \$2.

You have never used anything which takes hold of a bad cough and conquers it so quickly as Pinex Cough Syrup. Gives almost instant relief and usually stops the most obstinate, deep-seated cough in 24 hours. Guaranteed to give prompt and positive results even in croup and whooping cough.

Pinex is a special and highly concentrated compound of Norway White Pine extract, rich in gualcol and other healing pine elements. A 60-cent bottle makes 16 ounces—a family supply—of the best cough remedy that money can buy, at a saving of \$2. Simply mix with home-made sugar syrup or strained honey, in a 16-oz. bottle, and it is ready for use. Easily prepared in 5 minutes—directions in package.

Children like Pinex Cough Syrup—it tastes good, and is a prompt, safe remedy for cold or young. Stimulates the appetite and is slightly laxative—both good features. A handy household medicine for hoarseness, asthma, bronchitis, etc., and unusually effective for incipient lung troubles. Used in more homes in the U. S. and Canada than any other cough remedy.

Pinex has often been imitated, but never successfully, for nothing else will produce the same results. The genuine is guaranteed to give absolute satisfaction or money refunded. Certificate of guarantee is wrapped in each package. Your druggist has Pinex or will gladly get it for you. If not, send to The Pinex Co., Toronto, Ont.

### BAR MAY BE RESTORED.

The Corporation of London Is Taking Steps to That End.

There is some ground for hoping that Londoners will again come into possession of Temple Bar, the famous old structure which once stood at the top of Fleet street, marking the west entrance to the city, and which, on its removal to permit of increased traffic, was taken away stone by stone and set up in Theobald's Park by the late Sir. Henry Meux.

The Corporation of London has decided to instruct the City Lands Committee to consider what steps can be taken for the reacquisition of Temple Bar. The fashion in which the City Corporation 20 years ago obtained public sanction for the removal of Temple Bar from its historic site at the passing of Fleet street into the Strand, on the plain promise of re-erecting it elsewhere, and then, to save itself trouble and a few pounds, passed it over to a celebrated brewer for his private use as the entrance gate to his park several miles from the city is condemned as showing that body at its worst.

The personnel and culture of the Common Council as a whole have decidedly improved since then, and so gross an act of vandalism could scarcely be repeated, but not until London's last remaining historic gate is placed at the city boundary on the Thames embankment, which would be its most fitting position now, can that act be in any degree extenuated.

Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria.

### SHE SAW IT ANOTHER WAY.

She—Just look at the trouble money can get you into.  
He—Yes, but look at the trouble it can get you out of.

The Chicago Fire could have been prevented with one pail of water, but the water was not handy. Keep a bottle of Hamlin's

### FOR PREVENTION OF FIRE.

Neglect of These Cautions Often Leads to Disaster.

The following "fire don'ts," prepared by the New York fire department, are equally valuable to every householder. Cut them out and keep them handy for frequent reference. Observance of the cautions given may save you from a visitation by fire—

Don't leave everything to the landlord; inspect your own house from cellar to garret, and locate all exits.

Don't throw cigars or cigarettes out of windows. They drop on awnings and set them afire.

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The hunters make use of a large net, spread open on the ground and baited with small dried fishes, in the midst of which is placed a tame eagle. The decoy naturally begins to devour the bait and thus invites its wild cousins to follow its example. When the birds have alighted and are feeding the hunter, from his hiding place two or three hundred yards distant, quickly closes the net by means of cords and thus captures the eagles.

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## PRESS COMMENTS.

### Galt Reformer.

Those petticoat rowdies, politely called suffragettes, are battering their heads in fury against a stone wall in the person of Lloyd George.

### Vancouver Province.

When the Yukon territory is attached to British Columbia, the voters' list in the North Pole division will be revised and the name of Dr. Cook struck off as an absentee.

### Halifax Chronicle

Mr. Henri Bourassa hustled up to Ottawa to watch the negotiations on the Manitoba boundary question, and perhaps, to dictate the terms of settlement. And why not? Isn't he the master of the Administration?

### Brantford Expositor

In regard to the deposit of the Provincial Treasury in the Farmers Bank it is not a question of where did the money come from, but where did the money go. Dr. Beattie Nesbitt, Conservative ex-M. P. P., North Toronto, might explain.

### Kingston Whig.

Le Devoir rejoices in the end of the naval policy. Mr. Bourassa boasts that he caused the wreck of it with the help of Mr. Borden. Eventually he will be the wreck of the Government which has been so anxious to placate or please him.

### Woodstock Sentinel Review.

Sir James Whitney calls Mr. Rowell a man of wax and putty. It is worthy of note that both wax and putty are largely associated with light, and it must be admitted that Mr. Rowell is doing his full share to furnish light on the Whitney methods.

### Fredericton Mail.

About a year ago Mr. Borden was clamoring for Dreadnoughts to "save the Empire." Now he is pleading for delay to save his Government. In other words the present naval policy of the Government is Do-nothing. That is what Mr. Bourassa has made the flag-flappers swallow.

### Regina Leader

A Government that starts out by burking its Imperial and national obligations at the dictation of the anti-British Nationalists, and which within six weeks of taking office placates the steel and lumber interests at the expense of the people, must look for criticism of the keenest kind.

### Kingston Standard, (Conservative.)

The newest idea in Canada, as per the Toronto civic order, is that if you haven't money enough to buy a dress suit you are not of sufficient importance to be allowed to be presented to the Governor-General and his wife. It's a new method of measurement in Canada—clothes and money. And it's a bad one.

### St. John N. B., Telegraph and Sun.

There will be no war. Those in Germany who hate and envy England, and those in England who distrust and dislike Germany, must wait another tide. In both cases these are small minorities. There is no cause for war between these peoples. To provoke one would be a crime of staggering magnitude.

## THE COUNCIL MEETING

Council met in regular session on Monday evening last, Mayor A. S. Kimminy in the chair.

Present—Reeve Alexander and Councillors, Stevens, Waller, Dickinson, Steacy, and Denison.

The minutes of the last regular session were read and confirmed.

A communication was read from C. A. Walters, secretary of the Electric Light Commissioners, stating that the setting of their business was about concluded, but they needed about \$250 to make things break even. They asked that the sum of \$251.94 be deposited to the credit of the Commissioners. There present liabilities are \$427.30, and the assets—accounts due—is only \$183.78, leaving a deficit of \$243.52.

On motion the request was granted. Councillor Meng entered.

A communication was read for A. B. Colville, of the Seymour Power Co., in reference to a marked check for \$500 deposited by Mr. Mulholland to guarantee payment of election expenses in case the by-law for the sale of the town electric plant had not carried.

Some of the councillors were of the opinion that the payment for the publishing of the by-law should be paid out of this check, as it was understood by some of them that Mr. Mulholland had agreed to do this.

On motion of Councillors Waller and Steacy, the clerk was instructed to write Mr. Mulholland and get him to state his understanding of this matter.

A communication was read from Mr. W. J. Paul, M. P., stating that the prospects of having the Napanee river dredged looked very good. He enclosed a letter from the Deputy Minister of Public Works which stated that the matter would be referred to the engineer in charge of this district for report, in order that the matter may be considered when the department's dredging programme for next season is taken up.

A communication filed.

A communication was read from the Sawyer Massey Co., Hamilton, in reference to road roller purchased by the town, asking for information re shipment.

On motion the clerk was instructed to write the Sawyer Massey Co., advising the shipment of roller at earliest convenience.

A communication was read from C. M. Warner, secretary-treasurer of the Public Library, asking for the usual grant made by the town to that institution. The amount of the grant is \$250.

Request granted.

A communication was read from J. L. Whiting, Kingston, stating that he was instructed by J. W. Lytton, the contractor for the trunk sewer on Dundas street, to claim from the town the sum of \$1246.26 for damages sustained by him through the town neglecting to construct a temporary outlet down East street in consideration of the contractor starting his work at that corner. The claim is made up mostly for hauling water.

Laid on the table until later in the evening.

The report of the engineer re the Dundas street was presented to the council.

Ordered laid on the table.

The Finance Committee reported in reference to lighting of Public Library. Owing to a resolution of council the account could not be paid by council, but the committee recommended that an extra grant of \$100 be made the Public Library for the above stated purpose.

Report adopted.

The special committee to whom was referred the matter of several sewers in the town reported as follows: "When convenient, that this council construct sewer, on Centre street, from G. T. R. crossing to Dundas street; Dundas, from the Junction of Bridge street to near the East Ward School; and Bridge street, from West street,



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### Halifax Echo

The trade of the West Indies is capable of enormous development, a development which is only being halted by the lack of efficient transportation facilities. The addition of a fleet of fast steamships to the existing Government owned transportation system of the Dominion would be justifiable from Imperial or purely sentimental grounds. But such a departure would in time prove highly profitable as well. The matter is certainly worthy of the attention of the new Government.

### Guelph Mercury.

The last man for mention is Attorney-General Foy, who became so unpopular in South Toronto that he was forced by his Conservative supporters to take refuge in North Toronto. It remains to be seen how the Conservatives of the latter district will act in the premises, but to outsiders it looks as if Mr. Foy is doomed to an early retirement into private life. His record in the administration of criminal justice is so utterly bad that there is no ground of defence against the Opposition assaults. Mr. Foy is an estimable gentleman in private life.

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Miss Lillie May, of Stoney Creek, Ont., says: "A few weeks since, several nasty, disfiguring cold sores suddenly out on my lips, which became much swollen. Seeing my condition, a friend advised me to try Zam-Buk and leave all other preparations aside. This I did, and was much pleased, after a few applications of this balm, to see every sore healed."

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construct sewer, on Centre street, from G. T. R. crossing to Dundas street; Dundas, from the Junction of Bridge street to near the East Ward School; and Bridge street from West street, west two blocks to Richard street.

Report adopted.

Moved by Coun. Waller, seconded by Reeve Alexander, that this council put itself on record as being in favor of granting free site, free water, a fixed assessment, and do anything further they can to keep the Dominion Rock Drill Co., factory in Napanee, and to encourage other factories in locating at Napanee.

Carried unanimously.

Moved by Coun. Meng, seconded by Coun. Steacy, that this council advertise in the Toronto and Montreal papers, the fact that Napanee is prepared to give substantial aid to manufacturers looking for a good place to locate. Carried.

Moved by Coun. Waller, seconded by Coun. Stevens that this council in a body meet the representative of the Dominion Rock Drill Co., and if an arrangement can be arrived at, a by-law be prepared in order that it may be voted on in January.

### ACCOUNTS.

The following accounts were ordered paid:

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Robt. Light.....	2 00
T. H. Waller.....	4 72
T. H. Waller.....	7 56
Pat Bergin.....	6 00
Boyle & Son.....	10 66
Robert Light.....	43 75
R. C. Cartwright.....	13 50
J. H. Brown.....	9 10
J. H. Brown.....	10 25
T. H. Waller.....	19 96
Robert Light.....	3 75
F. Bowen.....	1 00
E. J. Pollard.....	11 75
A. Neilson.....	175 00
J. L. Boyes.....	1 55
General Fire Equipment Co.....	4 80
H. W. Kelly.....	80
P. Gleeson.....	3 70
P. Gleeson.....	38 25
E. S. Lapum.....	28 25

Moved by Coun. Stevens, and Coun. Denison, that \$225 of this account for postage be paid, the balance of account was \$28 00 for bond premium 1911, and no action was taken by the council.

### Seymour Power Co.:

Streets.....	\$ 211 67
P. O. Clock.....	8 00
Fire hall.....	6 80
Town hall.....	20 48
Warner Park.....	2 50

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Lady Visitor—I am coming to your mamma's company tomorrow, Tommy. Tommy—Well, you won't get a good supper. Tommy's Papa—Tommy, what do you mean, talking like that? Tommy—Well, you know, pa, you told ma you'd have to get some chicken feed for her old hen party tomorrow.—Baltimore American.

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If then, when apparently dead and dried up, its root is plunged into water, the buds swell with new life and leaves of its calyx open, the petals unfold, the flower stalk grows and the full blown flowers appear as if by magic. When removed from the water the plant returns to its original apparently dead condition until again placed in water; hence, its title of the Resurrection plant.

There are many superstitious tales concerning this so called rose afloat in the east. It is said to have first bloomed on Christmas eve and continued to flower till Easter, at its birth heralding the advent of the Redeemer, and immediately before his departure honoring his resurrection.—T. P.'s London Weekly.

### Blunders by Novelists.

Novelists, even of eminence, are prone to make blunders. Sir Walter Besant in "For Faith and Freedom" wrote after the Eykins had settled in Providence, "Barnaby soon grew tired of this quiet life and went on board a steamer bound for England, promising that we should hear from him." This was in 1686 or 1687, and the first steamer from America to this country did not reach Liverpool till July, 1819. Wilkie Collins also made numerous amazing blunders. In "The Duel in Herne Wood" he makes the story open with the receipt of a telegram, and the period is 1817, when twenty years had to elapse before the first telegraphic wire was laid. Three of the characters also talk of "taking the express train to London" in defiance of the fact that the first railway to London was not opened till 1838.

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TYPEWRITERS IN CHINA.

They Are Used There, but Not For the

## PRESSURE OF AIR.

It May Readily Turn the Thermometer Into a Fibber.

## THE BOILING WATER POINT.

On the Scale This is Marked at 212 Degrees, but Under Certain Conditions It May Be Several Hundred Degrees—The Critical Temperature.

On an ordinary Fahrenheit thermometer there is written opposite 212 degrees "Boiling point of water" and opposite 32 degrees "Freezing point of water." Neither of these is correct except for a certain condition of the atmosphere, and that is when it gives on the barometer about thirty inches, or fifteen pounds pressure to the square inch. This is the ordinary pressure at what is known as sea level, and to this all thermometers are calibrated. In a mountainous region the pressure is hardly ever so much as fifteen pounds, and water boils at sometimes as low as 200 degrees.

If water is boiled in a diving bell, where the pressure is forty or fifty pounds a square inch, its temperature will be several hundred degrees instead of 212. If water is boiling in a near vacuum the temperature is so



# They Are Used There, but Not For the Native Language.

Typewriters are now made for use in nearly a hundred different languages, and they are sold all over the world, but there is still one great nation which, for a very simple reason, has no typewriters that write its tongue. That nation is China.

The English alphabet has twenty-six letters, the Russian thirty-six. The typewriter produced for the Russian market is the largest made, but no typewriter could be made that would begin to be big enough for the Chinese language, which has no alphabet, but is represented by sign characters, of which there are about 50,000. Of the great number of words found in the English language only a small proportion are used for the ordinary purposes of speech, and the same would be true as to the characters used in the Chinese language, but the number of Chinese characters commonly employed is still far greater than could be put on any typewriter. So this nation of 400,000,000 people has no typewriter in its own tongue.

But that doesn't mean that no typewriters are sold in China. More and more Chinese are learning other languages besides their own, and Chinese merchants and resident foreign merchants use typewriters, and they are used in legations and in consular offices and in banks and shipping offices and colleges and by missionaries, by various people. Altogether there are sold in China a good many typewriters. — Washington Post.

## AN ANCIENT LEGEND.

Creation of the Coconut, the Wakwak and the Palm Tree.

According to the opinion of the old historians and the commentators of the Koran, God created from the remainder of the clay of which Adam was made the kuliseer, or cocoa tree, which is found in abundance in the Indian Islands. It produces a nut which is brought to Anatolia and Roomili. The interior and oily part is nourishing and fortifying food. The shell is worked into spoons and cups of the size of a man's head. It is a round black out on which all the parts of a man's head may be seen—mouth, nose, eyebrows, eyes, hair and whiskers—before it was formed from Adam's clay. A wonderful sight!

From the same clay God created also the wakwak, found in India, the fruit of which resembles a man's head, which, shaken by the wind, emits the sound of wakwak.

Finally was created also the palm tree from the remainder of Adam's clay at Kufa, near the water Tinnor. This is said to be the reason why the palm trees of Kufa, Medain and Ommann are straight and upright, like the stature of a man. If you cut its branches it does not only no harm to it, but grows even more, like the hair and beard of men, but if you cut off the head of the palm tree it gives a reddish juice like blood, and the tree perishes like a man whose head is cut off.—Erla Effendi, "Travels."

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It would be a square inch, at temperature would be several hundred degrees instead of 212. If water is boiling in a near vacuum the temperature is so small that the hand thrust into the water would actually feel cold.

What has been said about the boiling point applies to some extent to the freezing point, but here it differs for different materials, whereas the remarks about the boiling point of water apply to the boiling points of all liquids.

Some substances when they freeze become larger, while others become smaller. On this depends the freezing point at different pressures of atmosphere. Water expands on freezing; so do type metal and some other things. All other substances become smaller on freezing. Water pipes burst when the water freezes. Coins of gold and silver are stamped instead of being molded, for the metals grow smaller on freezing or solidifying, and consequently the coin would be wabby.

It has been found that the things that expand on solidifying, as water, freeze at a lower temperature when the pressure is increased, while the others freeze at a higher. When a substance that expands freezes under higher pressure than usual it has to exert more force to shove the pressure away, and consequently has to use up more of its heat energy, thus losing more heat and becoming colder.

Take the substance that contracts when it solidifies. The pressure will help it to get smaller, and consequently the greater the pressure the less heat it has to lose on attaining the solid state, so it will freeze at higher temperature. If the pressure is great enough it may freeze or solidify at a thousand degrees temperature, which is high enough to change most substances to vapor under ordinary atmospheric pressure.

This is one of the reasons advanced to prove that the interior of the earth is solid, for the assumption is that the core is made up of substances that contract when freezing, and there is, of course, an enormous pressure a few hundreds of miles below the surface.

In regard to the boiling points of liquids, there is an upper limit to the point at which a thing boils—that is, changes to the state of vapor. It is called the critical temperature. No matter how great a pressure exists on a substance, if it is at a temperature greater than its critical it will change to vapor anyhow.

The ignorance of this point held back the making of liquefied gases—such as air, carbon dioxide, etc.—for many years. The experimenters tried to liquefy gases at ordinary temperatures by enormous pressures, whereas if they had just cooled the gases below their critical temperatures before applying the pressure liquefaction would have ensued immediately.

This is the method employed today in making liquid air. The air is compressed at first and then allowed to issue from a small orifice, thus expanding and cooling, is then pumped back and compressed by the pump, allowed to go through the orifice again, thus cooling still more, until at last it is below the critical temperature, when the compression caused by the pump liquefies it. — Lawrence Hodge in Chicago Record-Herald.

### One Is Enough.

Mme. Maeterlinck gave out ten rules which she said would insure married happiness.

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GENERAL PASSENGER TIME TABLE.

Eastern Standard Time. No. 31 Taking effect Dec 1st, 1906.

Bannockburn and Tamworth to Napanee and Deseronto.						Deseronto and Napanee to Tamworth and Bannockburn.					
Stations.	Miles.	No. 12	No. 40	No. 4	No. 6	Stations.	Miles.	No. 1	No. 41	No. 3	No. 5
Lve Bannockburn	0				1.40	Lve Deseronto	0				7.00
Allans	5				1.50	Arr Napanee	9				7.20
Queensboro	14				2.05	Lve Napanee	9				7.50
Bridgewater	20				2.25	Strathcona	16				8.05
Arr Tweed	20				2.45	Newburgh	17				8.15
Lve Tweed	6.70				3.05	Thomson's Mills	18				8.30
Stoco	23				3.15	Camden East	19				8.30
Larkins	27				3.30	Arr Yarker	23				8.45
Warbank	33				3.45	Lve Yarker	23				9.00
Erinville	37				3.55	Galbraith	26				9.20
Tamworth	40				4.15	Mudlake Bridge	27				9.20
Wilson	44				4.35	Enterprise	32				9.35
Enterprise	46				4.55	Wilson	34				9.50
Mudlake Bridge	48				5.15	Tamworth	38				10.00
Moscow	51				5.35	Erinville	41				10.10
Galbraith	53				5.55	Warbank	45				10.25
Arr Yarker	55				6.15	Larkins	51				10.45
Lve Yarker	55				6.35	Stoco	56				11.00
Camden East	59				6.55	Arr Tweed	58				11.15
Thomson's Mills	60				7.15	Lve Tweed	58				11.30
Newburgh	61				7.35	Bridgewater	64				11.50
Strathcona	62				7.55	Queensboro	70				12.05
Napanee	69				8.15	Allans	73				12.20
Deseronto	74				8.35	Arr Bannockburn	78				12.40

Kingston and Sydenham to Napanee and Deseronto.						Deseronto and Napanee to Sydenham and Kingston.					
Stations.	Miles.	No. 3	No. 4	No. 5		Stations.	Miles.	No. 1	No. 3	No. 5	
Lve Kingston	0				4.00	Lve Deseronto	0				7.00
G. T. R. Junction	8				4.10	Napanee	9				7.20
Glennvale	10				4.20	Lve Napanee	9				7.50
Murvale	14				4.30	Strathcona	16				8.05
Arr Harrowsmith	19				4.50	Newburgh	17				8.15
Lve Sydenham	22				5.10	Thomson's Mills	18				8.30
Arr Harrowsmith	19				5.20	Camden East	19				8.30
Frontenac	26				5.40	Arr Yarker	23				8.45
Arr Yarker	26				5.50	Lve Yarker	23				9.00
Lve Yarker	26				6.10	Frontenac	27				9.10
Camden East	30				6.25	Arr Harrowsmith	30				9.10
Thomson's Mills	31				6.40	Lve Harrowsmith	30				9.10
Newburgh	32				6.55	Glennvale	35				9.30
Strathcona	34				7.10	Arr Kingston	49				10.00
Napanee	40				7.30						
Napanee, West End	40				7.45						
Deseronto	49				8.05						

### LOCAL WORKING TIME TABLE.

NAPANEE to DESERONTO and PICTON.				PICTON to DESERONTO and NAPANEE.			
TRAINS		STEAMERS		STEAMERS		TRAINS	
Leave	Arrive	Leave	Arrive	Leave	Arrive	Leave	Arrive
Napanee	Deseronto	Deseronto	Picton	Picton	Deseronto	Deseronto	Napanee
7 15 a.m.	2 35 a.m.			6 00 a.m.	7 25 a.m.	8 00 a.m.	10 10 a.m.
7 10 "	8 10 "	7 00 a.m.	8 30 a.m.	9 50 a.m.	11 20 a.m.	11 20 a.m.	11 40 a.m.
10 30 "	10 50 "					12 20 p.m.	12 40 p.m.
11 50 a.m.	12 10 p.m.	1 40 p.m.	3 00 p.m.			3 45 p.m.	4 05 p.m.
1 25 p.m.	1 45 "	5 30 p.m.	7 00 p.m.			6 10 "	6 30 "
4 30 "	4 50 "			4 p.m.	5 p.m.	7 40 "	8 00 "
6 50 "	7 10 "	7 00 a.m.	8 30 a.m.			11 40 a.m.	1 05 a.m.
8 15 "	8 35 "					00 "	7 20 "
						7 15 "	7 35 "

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"Oh, Had I the Wings of a Dove."

The daily papers reported the other day a visit of the primate to a convict prison. The prison has been built by convict labor. Convict hands have done the carrying. A convict played the organ, and it looks as if a convict selected the hymns. One of them, "Oh, Had I the Wings of a Dove," the convicts are said to have sung with great heartiness. It is easy to believe. —London Truth.

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"Do you think that man fully appreciates the importance of the office to which we have elected him?" said one constituent.

"I guess he does," replied the other. "The first thing he did was to say it ought to command a larger salary." —Washington Star.

**Bean Ballots.**

Greeks and Romans of the ancient world invariably used white and black beans for voting at trials, the white bean signifying acquittal and the black one conviction.

**Inherited It.**

"What a matchmaker that woman is, to be sure!"

"Yes, but she comes by it honestly. I understand her father was a pro-moter." —Detroit Free Press.

**Two Seats 'n the Aisle.**

On a visit of John W. Gates to New York shortly before his last trip abroad he was discussing Wall street speculation and how dull it was with a friend who sometimes takes a tier in the market himself.

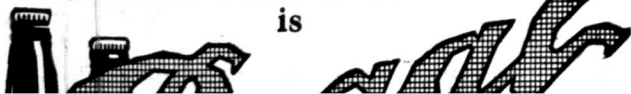
"Let me see," said the friend; "it was five years ago that a Stock Exchange seat brought \$97,000. Now one can be got for \$75,000."

"Seventy-five thousand dollars!" shouted Gates. "If a man went down to the exchange with \$75,000 real money he could get two seats on the middle aisle." —New York Sun.

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## RICHMOND MINUTES.

Selby, December 4th, 1911.

The Council met at Selby.

The members present were Messrs. R. W. Paul, Reeve, and Councilors Fred Sexsmith, Alfred McCutcheon, W. R. Lott, and Jas. Windover, the Reeve presiding.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and confirmed.

Moved by W. R. Lott, seconded by A. McCutcheon, that S. W. Knapp be paid the sum of \$4.00 for damages sustained due to engine breaking through a defective culvert in the fourth concession on the boundary road, above amount being one half the damages sustained. Carried.

Moved by A. McCutcheon, seconded by Fred Sexsmith, that Silas Storings be given an order for the sum of one dollar and forty cents, being an error on the assessment roll of 1910 and 1911. Carried.

Moved by Jas. Windover, seconded by A. McCutcheon, that C. Kimmett be given an order for \$12.00 for 12 days work on road division No. 48. Carried.

Moved by Fred Sexsmith, seconded by Jas. Windover, that pay sheet No. 6 of the Road Engineer, amounting to \$19.75, be paid for 1911. Carried.

Moved by F. Sexsmith, seconded by A. McCutcheon, that Mrs. Steven Mowers and Mrs. Peter Asselstine be each granted five dollars aid for the month of December. Carried.

Moved by Alfred McCutcheon, seconded by Jas. Windover, that the following accounts be paid. Carried.

Ernest Miles, for repairing road and building culverts in road division No. 74, \$11.70; Luke Sedore, refund of statute labour in road division No. 74, he having performed the same by order of the pathmaster, \$2.00; Archie Sexsmith, refund of statute labour in road division No. 19, he having performed the same by order of the pathmaster, \$6.00; Samuel Knapp, refund of statute labour in road division No. 21, he having performed the same by order of the pathmaster, \$5.00; Moses Hudgins, refund of statute labor in road division No. 19, he having performed the same by order of the pathmaster, \$9.00; Henry B. Kellar, the sum of \$3.10 for gravel furnished Township road division No. 54; J. R. Lochhead, \$8.30 for 83 loads of gravel for use of road division No. 12 by order of the pathmaster of said division; Wm. Foote, \$2.00 for repairing two culverts in road division No. 18; Samuel Smith for repairing approaches to bridge and also railing on same in the 9th concession, \$4.50; Christie Hartin, \$3.00 for work on road in the 10th concession, division No. 70, by order of the pathmaster; John Hartin for work on road division No. 70, by order of the pathmaster, \$2.00; Wm. Graham refund for statute labor, performed after collector's roll was made out, \$6; Aubrey Benn refund statute labor performed after Collector's Roll was made out, \$2.00; Wm. Graham for 12 loads of gravel furnished road division No. 2, \$1.20; Allan Oliver, \$10.20 for 102 loads of gravel for use of road division No. 5 by order of pathmaster; B. D. Wagar, \$25.00 for grant made on July 3rd, 1911, on west part of the Slash Road, road section No. 5; Riley Pringle, \$3.00, a refund of statute labor in road division No. 70, by order of the pathmaster; Ford Russell, \$3.50 for 35 loads of gravel for use of road division No. 19, by order of the pathmaster; Thomas Russell, \$1.50 for gravel furnished road division No. 18, by order of the pathmaster; Henry Storey, \$23.00, one half of grant made on the boundary road between Camden and Richmond in the 4th concession; Silas Storings, \$5.00, a refund of statute labor, he having performed the same by order of the pathmaster; A. E. Paul, \$5.85 for postage and stationery; Geo. C. Joyce, \$1.23 for miscellaneous expenses; Joy & Son an account for tile for culvert in road division No. 59, \$4.38.

Moved by Jas. Windover, seconded by F. Sexsmith, that Peter O'Connell be paid the sum of \$7.00 for sheep killed by dogs in 1911. Carried.

Moved by Fred Sexsmith, seconded by A. McCutcheon, that this Council adjourn to meet on Friday, Dec. 15th, 1911, at the hour of 10 o'clock, a. m. Carried.

GEO. C. JOYCE,

Township Clerk.

## BY-LAW NO. 532.

Passed 4th December, A. D., 1911.

A By-Law to authorize submission to the Municipal Electors for approval a By-Law of the County Council establishing a continuation school in Sheffield.

Whereas the Council of the County of Lennox and Addington on the 8th day of June, 1911, passed a By-Law numbered 265, "to establish a Continuation School in the Township of Sheffield" in the words and figures following, that is to say:

## BY-LAW NO. 265.

To establish a Continuation School in the Township of Sheffield.

Passed June 8th, 1911.

Subject to the approval of the Minister of Education for the Province of Ontario and pursuant to the provisions of part 2 of chapter 90, Ontario Statutes 1909, the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the County of Lennox and Addington enacts as follows:—

1. That the Township of Sheffield be and the same is hereby set aside to form a Rural Continuation School District and a Continuation School is hereby established in the said Township to be known as the Sheffield Continuation School, which school shall have a staff of at least two teachers engaged for their whole time.

2. That this By-Law shall come into force and take effect from and after the approval of the said By-Law by the Minister of Education, and by a majority of the Municipal Electors of the Township of Sheffield, the question to be submitted to them at the next Municipal election by the Township Council.

Sgd. A. B. LOYST, Warden.

Sgd. W. G. WILSON, County Clerk.

And whereas this Council having been formally notified of the passing of said By-Law, deems it expedient (in pursuance of agreement made at the said County Council meeting by and between the parties of Sheffield there and then promoting and opposing the passing of said By-Law) to submit under authority of sub-section A of Sec. 533 of "The Municipal Act" to the municipal electors of the Township of Sheffield, the question of the approval of said By-Law, so passed as aforesaid by the said County Council.

Therefore the Council of the Municipal Corporation of the Township of Sheffield in the County of Lennox and Addington hereby enacts as follows, viz:

1. That the question of the approval of By-Law No. 265 of the Council of the

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Council.

Therefore the Council of the Municipal Corporation of the Township of Sheffield in the County of Lennox and Addington hereby enacts as follows, viz :

1. That the question of the approval of By-Law No. 285 of the Council of the County of Lennox and Addington, passed June 8th, 1911, "To establish a Continuation School in the Township of Sheffield" be and the same is hereby submitted to the municipal electors of the Township of Sheffield, the vote thereon to be taken in accordance with the provisions of "The Municipal Act" relating to voting on By-Laws by electors—so far as the same will apply—as provided by sub sec. A of sec. 533 of said Act, at the ensuing annual municipal election, and that the polls be held at the same hour, on the same day, at the same places and by the same Deputy Returning Officers as are appointed for the said Municipal Election.

2. That upon the return of the Deputy Returning Officers to him of the result of the voting at their several polls, the Clerk shall make up from their statements a full statement of the total of said vote and report the result to this Council and certify the same to the Clerk of the County Council.

This By-Law passed in open Council at a regular session held in the Town Hall in Tamworth, on the fourth day of December, A. D., 1911.

Sgd. GEO. WOODS, Reeve.

Sgd. JAS. AYLSWORTH, Clerk.

### VALUE OF A PAINTED DOG.

The One Sir Edwin Landseer Put in His Brother's Picture.

The late Charles Landseer, the brother of Sir Edwin, gained his election as academician with a picture called "The Eve of the Battle of Edge Hill." A curious and interesting story attaches to this picture.

When it was nearly finished Edwin Landseer was asked by Charles to come and look at it and remarked that it was a very good picture, but "how nice a spaniel would look in that corner." Charles said, "Will you put it in, then?" at which the master took up the brush and at once painted in a fine old English spaniel with some leather dispatch bags lying on the ground by him.

The picture was duly exhibited and admired, the spaniel especially, but the dealer who bought it, being a simple man of business, bethought him that Sir Edwin's dog would be worth more than the whole picture. So he coolly cut it out and sold it, filling the place by a common dog copied from it. Several years afterward the owner of the picture showed Sir Edwin, with some pride, the picture in which he had painted the dog, but the great master "declared he'd be hanged if ever he did that dog." The picture was examined more closely, and then the trick was found out.—London Tatler.

### HIGHEST RAILWAY.

This Cloud Piercing Road Crosses the Mountains of Peru.

To the question, "Which is the highest railway in the world?" the answer is—the Central Railway of Peru. In other words, the highest point reached by any railway line is touched by this road, where the altitude of the rails reaches 15,865 feet above sea level. To reach this point from sea level the line passes through fifty-seven tunnels, over a dozen principal bridges and utilizes thirteen switchbacks, but has no gradient up to 4½ per cent, nor does it resort to rack propulsion. A hand car started at Tiello will run unaided to Callao, the seaport, and, as a matter of fact, such a car, equipped with safety breaks, runs before each passenger train, carrying an inspector on the lookout for fallen rocks or other dangers. Tiello, above referred to, is the highest station in the world, with an altitude of 15,865 feet.

The next highest line in the world is that from Antofagasta, Chile, to Oruru and La Paz, Bolivia. This line has also the distinction of being the narrowest gauge line (two and one-half feet) for such a long distance. The highest point is at Collahuasi, where the altitude is 15,809 feet, fifty-six feet lower than the Peruvian line.—New York Press.

### ANIMAL EVOLUTION.

Changes in the Partridges of the Canary Islands.

A remarkable example of the effects of environment and changed conditions of life upon the forms of animals is furnished by a species of partridge living in the Canary islands. Over 400 years ago the Spaniards introduced the red legged partridge from Europe into these islands, and the bird has continued to flourish there; but, as recent examination proves, it has undergone modifications clearly brought about by the conditions under which it lives.

Its back has turned from russet color to gray. This looks like protective coloration, since the bird passes its life among gray volcanic rocks.

Its beak has become one-fourth longer and thicker than that of its ancestors and of its European relatives, and its legs also have increased in length and grown stouter.

These changes are exactly such as were needed to suit it to the life that it is now compelled to lead amid the rocks and on the mountain sides of the islands, where a more rigorous physical development is required than was needed in its former home.—Harper's Weekly.

### Winter and Summer Sun.

The sun is nearer to the earth in winter than it is in summer. It is not distance that determines the amount of heat that we get from the sun, but the length of time the sun is above the horizon and the direction in which his rays strike us. In summer, although much farther from us, the sun is daily above the horizon much longer than when he is nearest, at the winter solstice, and this continued action produces the summer heat. In addition to this is to be reckoned the fact that in summer the force of the sun's rays is more perpendicular to the earth's surface, while in the winter they are oblique. In the case of the perpendicular ray the heat stays, while in that of the oblique ray it "glances off," so to speak.

### Particular Speech.

"My dear, do you love me still?"  
"I still love you, and I suppose I would love you still if I ever saw you that way."—Baltimore American.

History is indeed little more than the register of the crimes, follies and misfortunes of mankind.—Gibbon.

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## ENGINEER'S REPORT ON TRUNK SEWER.

Mr. Geo. C. Wright, the engineer who had charge of the Dundas street sewer, made a complete report of the work to the council on Monday evening. His report stated that the actual work in connection with the sewer was completed in accordance with the plans, profiles and specifications covering the same, and that the contractor, Mr. John W. Lytton, is entitled to the sum of \$3085.03, as hereunder shown, less all sums the council is authorized to retain under the terms of the contract with said contractor.

Original tender...	\$ 12620 00
Total extra rods...	186 91
Double strength pipe.....	208 45
	\$ 13015 36
Extras covering sewers, etc.....	368 40
Ten per cent.....	36 84
	\$ 405 24
Total.....	\$ 13420 60
Previous monthly estimates.....	\$ 10274 92
Engineering and inspection.....	60 65
	\$ 10335 57
	\$ 3085 03

Continuing the report further stated that the combined contract and specifications were signed by all parties to the contract on October 6th, 1910.

In general the agreement or contract entered into by both parties covered certain points as follows:

1. A lump sum price of \$12620.00 covering the general excavations and the laying of the main sewer pipe, and construction of all manholes in accordance with the plans and profile dated at Kingston, June 22nd, 1910, as a preliminary plan showing approximate quantities for excavation and the length and size of straight pipe, manholes, etc.

2. Extra work as ordered by the engineer, covering all the necessary excavations and the laying of junctions, bends, and straight pipe, for the private sewer construction and the intercepting of, or continuing of other sewers meeting the main sewers, and any other work considered by the engineer to be absolutely necessary.

3. The extra rock excavations over and above the amount shown as per approximate rock line on preliminary profile in accordance with the soundings taken at various points and the cost of such rock.

4. The power and rights of the engineer in charge during construction of the work and regarding the final settlement.

5. The liability of the contractor for all damages of every description and the payment of the same by the council in the event of default by the contractor.

6. The change in the specifications by the engineer covering 20 inch and 24 inch double strength pipe.

7. The demurrage costs covering engineering fees and inspection on and after July 1st, 1911.

8. The final payments covering the total cost of the work, less all amounts covering damages caused by the contractor.

The report then goes into detail giving a complete report of all the extras such as extra rock excavations, double strength pipe, junctions over straight pipe, bends, elbows, tin covers, junction markers, etc.

### EXTRAS RE SERVICES, OLD SEWERS, ETC.

Junctions over straight pipe...	\$ 219 12
Other material.....	61 51
Labor.....	23 25
Private connections.....	5 07
Corporation connections.....	15 56
Manhole connections.....	43 80
	\$ 308 40
10 per cent profits.....	30 84

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### FELT HIS PRESENCE.

Curious Instance of Telepathy Described by John Muir.

John Muir, in his book, "My First Summer in the Sierras," relates a curious instance of telepathy. He spent the summer of 1860 in the beautiful wilderness around the Yosemite valley. One day he was busily sketching on the North Dome, when suddenly he became possessed with the notion that his friend Professor J. D. Butler of the University of Wisconsin was below him in the valley. He jumped up, full of the idea of meeting him, being almost as much startled as if some one had unexpectedly touched him and made him look up. Instantly he went running down the slope and along the brink of the valley, looking for a way to the bottom, feeling drawn irresistibly.

Gradually his common sense convinced him that he could not possibly reach the hotel until after everybody would be asleep for the night. He therefore compelled himself to stop, but the next day he went into the valley and found that Professor Butler had arrived the evening before, unexpected by anybody. He had been four or five miles distant at the moment when Mr. Muir was so suddenly apprised of his presence.

"He had just entered the valley by way of the Coulterville trail," says the author, "and was coming past El Capitan when his presence struck me. Had he then looked toward the North Dome with a good glass he might have seen me jump up from my work and run toward him. This seems the one well defined marvel of my life of the kind called supernatural."

### Ancient Tales of the Law.

Of law and the "law's delays" these ancient tales are recorded:

A woman vainly pleading her case many times before Philip of Macedonia received at every refusal the reply that he "had not the time." At last her patience gave out and she said

### DEERONTO ROAD.

The annual meeting of the Deeronto Cheese factory which is under the management of Messrs. Brennan and Barry was held at the factory, on Friday Dec. 1st. A great many patrons from this road was in attendance.

The usual routine of business was gone through, hearing the Auditor's report and electing officers for the coming year. No change was made in the officers with the exception of Manly Jones, Sec.-Treas., who's office in the future will be filled by Thomas Donnelly, of Deeronto.

Mr. M. S. Madole, the Liberal Candidate for the Ontario House, canvassed this road on Monday last and was most cordially received. The prospects for Mr. Madole's Election on Monday next are most promising.

Mr. Walker and his sister, from Thurlow, are visiting friends on this road for a few days.

We understand that Mr. Mendle Kimmerly intends holding an Auction sale in the near future.

The hay press which has been working for Mr. Charley McGreer has gone out of the neighborhood for a short time to press hay around Hawley.

The many friends of Mr. Frank Van Vlack are pleased to see him around again after a long seige of Typhoid Fever.

Miss Edna Amey who has been on the sick list is improving under the treatment of Dr. Vrooman, of Napanee.

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by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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### STELLA.

Quite a number attended W. H. Preston's auction sale on Wednesday. Good prices were realized.

Farmers Institute meetings were held at Stella on Wednesday afternoon and evening and at Emerald on Thursday. There was a good attendance.

The steamer Aletha will make her

### last trip on Saturday.

A representative of the Plover Seed Co. is on the island this week giving out peas to the farmers.

T. J. Hill has purchased the old village hall from W. Cochran. He intends making a dwelling house of it.

The sloop Maggie L. loaded barley here this week.

Dr. and Mrs. Hudson, Roslin, arrived here last week to spend the winter with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Dixon.

D. F. Mills, Napanee, shipped \$1,711 worth of fowls from the island last week.

Charles Fleming is still confined to the Hotel Dieu hospital, Kingston.

Mrs. N. Wempe has returned to Chicago.

Mrs. Alexander Glenn accidentally fell in the cellar of her home a few days ago and was badly bruised.

Visitors: Mr. and Mrs. Wright, Sandhurst; A. E. Sanders, "Boskey Dell."

### Silver Mesh Bags.

A very large assortment newest designs this Xmas. Big Values.

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### FAIR VIEW.

Miss Lydia Hinch is improving her property by building a wire fence.

The school is getting along nicely under the management of Miss Paterson.

Rev. Mr. and Mrs. McTear visited at Edward Young's and made calls in Fair View.

Samuel McNeil is talking of leaving Fair View and going to Toronto to live. He is selling his property.

Mrs. Hess is spending a few days at Schuyler Louck's.

### A VALUABLE ASSISTANT.

At the Winter Fair at Guelph is given information along all lines of live stock production and crop cultivation that is valuable to any farmer who desires to keep up-to-date. The Weekly Sun of Dec. 19 will contain a carefully prepared and easily understood summary of the chief points brought out at the next fair.

If you are engaged in any branch of farming with a view to making money you will find The Weekly Sun a most valuable assistant. Do not miss the issue of December 19.

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unity	Labor.....	23 25
	Private connections.....	5 07
	Corporation connections.....	15 53
field	Manhole connections.....	43 80

10 per cent profits... 36 84

\$ 405 24

The report then went on to show the monthly payments during the course of the work until the conclusion of the contract. Taking the extras allowed the contractor by the engineer and adding them to the original tender, and subtracting the amount already paid the contractor the balance due was \$3085.03.

Concluding the report the engineer says, the total amount due the contractor is therefore \$3085.03 less the amount of all damages the corporation is authorized to reserve or retain under the contract.

The engineer further says: "Certain accounts against the town was presented to me by the contractor, all of which I have examined in detail." One account covering the proposed East street outlet is herewith enclosed. This account must be dealt with entirely by the council and the streets committee, they having vested the engineer with no authority regarding it. The account appears to be excessively large, yet if the council authorized the construction of this temporary outlet, and then did not see fit to construct it, they may be liable for any damages which can be proved. As far as I am concerned in the matter I may state emphatically that the outlet was guaranteed to me, and it was on this understanding that the work was commenced in Block 5. I would therefore recommend that your honorable body consider the matter carefully and that you reimburse the contractor for any damages he may have sustained.

#### CONTRACTOR'S CLAIM.

The contractor's claim against the town is for extra work in connection with outlet of sewer at centre of East street, due to the contractor starting work at this corner on the understanding that he was to work from a temporary outlet to be constructed down said East street.

With the exception of two or three items, the whole claim is for taking care of the water in the end of the sewer. One item of \$480 is for what is claimed as efficiency of labor reduced owing to the circumstances under which the men had to work. Another item of \$219.00, is for new holes drilled which were lost owing to the water, and another item of \$131.76 is for explosives used in these new holes which had to be drilled. An then he adds 10 per cent profit on this loss, which makes another \$113.30, and totals the whole extra account at \$1246.26.

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Anacharsis, the Scythian philosopher, speaking of the laws of Solon, said, "They were like the web of a spider—very good for holding the weak, but allowing the strong to escape."

A petty thief was being led to prison. Diogenes said to him: "Fool, why didn't you rob on a grand scale? Then it would have been you that would be sending others to prison."

### THOROUGHLY WARMED.

An Old Time Schoolboy's Experience on a Bitterly Cold Day.

An old time gentleman of Newburyport, describing his school days in the opening years of the nineteenth century, has this to say of a wintry day:

"We found our inkstands all frozen up. These required to be thawed out. To do this there was a board held up by bricks over the stove on which the pewter inkstands were placed, but before the copy was written down the ink would be again frozen. Then the boy took his ink to the stove again and while it was thawing laid in a store of caloric for himself, standing by the stove, watching closely that the pewter should not melt.

"The clothes of the boys were made of corduroy, jacket and trousers in one, and nothing under but a shirt. These absorbed the heat like sheet iron, so that when a boy returned to his seat he was often compelled to carry his inkstand in his mouth, employing both hands to hold his trousers off from his knees, and with every precaution the skin was often mottled and scorched."

Another old time schoolboy in his later years recalled an even severer experience.

"I can remember," he recorded, "how, crowding close to the stove to toast the shivers from my poor little body, I scorched a hole in my trousers in front and exclaimed aloud at the disaster, whereupon the master thrashed a hole into them behind, and when I went home to my mother she told me grimly it was well that things should match and that as my shirt was such an old one she was willing to risk fraying it on the back, and she reached for a strap and did!

"I was thoroughly warmed, and it was the coldest day of the year, but I regretted my shivers after all."—Youth's Companion.

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## McNAMARAS PLEAD GUILTY

Sensational Ending to Case That Has Aroused World's Interest.

A despatch from Los Angeles, Cal., says: James B. McNamara pleaded guilty on Friday afternoon in connection with the death of Chas. J. Haggerty, a victim of the Los Angeles Times explosion and fire. His brother, John J. McNamara, jointly indicted with him, pleaded guilty to dynamiting the Llewellyn Iron Works.

James B. McNamara probably will get life imprisonment. John J. McNamara, it was rumored, will get fourteen years. Each pleaded guilty on the charge of which he was extradited from Indianapolis.

Within fifteen minutes after the court opened on Friday afternoon

one of the greatest criminal trials of modern times had ended so abruptly that many officials supposedly in the heart of the matter did not know it was going to happen. The prisoners were taken back to jail, Judge Walter Bordwell retired to his chambers, and opposing counsel went to their rooms.

"The McNamaras have pleaded guilty because they are guilty," was District Attorney John D. Frederick's crisp comment.

"If I had seen any way out of it we would not have done it," said Attorney Clarence S. Darrow after court. "We have had it under consideration since a week ago Monday."

## SCENE IN BRITISH HOUSE

The Unionists, Lead by Mr. Bonar Law Retire in a Body.

A despatch from London, says: There was a remarkable scene in the House of Commons on Thursday night when the Government applied the guillotine to 470 amendments in the report stage of the insurance bill. Mr. Bonar Law, leader of the Opposition, heatedly accused the Ministers of acting in obedience to the Redmondites in thus flouting Parliament in order to clear the road for home rule for Ireland. Mr. Lloyd George, the Chancellor of the Exchequer, as hotly replied that the Government was only following the example set by Unionist Government.

The excitement was intense, and the members faced amendment, when, on the Speaker putting the first amendment, the entire Opposition rose and made a dramatic exit from the House, pursued by derisive Ministerial cheering. Then in a dreary monotone the Speaker began formally putting the amendments, and when he became fatigued the Deputy Speaker relieved him. The entire 470 amendments were adopted, and in only a single case was the division challenged by the Laborites. This concluded part one of the bill.

## PRICES OF FARM PRODUCTS

REPORTS FROM THE LEADING TRADE CENTRES OF AMERICA.

Prices of Cattle, Grain, Cheese and Other Produce at Home and Abroad.

### BREADSTUFFS.

Toronto, Dec. 5.—Flour—Winter wheat, 90 per cent. patents, \$3.50 to \$3.55, sea board. Manitoba flour firm, as follows:—First patents, \$5.50; second patents, \$5; and strong bakers', \$4.80, on track, Toronto.

Manitoba wheat—No. 1 Northern, \$1.07, Bay ports; No. 2 Northern, \$1.04, and No. 3, \$1.00-1.2, Bay ports.

Ontario wheat—No. 2 white, red and mixed, new, 88 to 89c, high freights.

Peas—Good milling peas, \$1.12 to \$1.15. Oats—Car lots of No. 2 Ontario 43 to 43-1-2c, and of No. 3 at 42c; on track, Toronto, 46c; No. 3 Western Canada oats, 44c, Bay ports.

Barley—No. 3 extra, 88c, outside; feed barley, 70 to 75c.

Corn—New corn, 69-1-2 to 70c, Bay ports. Rye—Car lots in fair offer, with No. 2 quoted at 90c, outside.

Buckwheat—60 to 62c, outside. Bran—Manitoba bran, \$23 to \$23.50, in bags, Toronto freights. Shorts, \$25.

### COUNTRY PRODUCE.

Apples—Winter stock, \$3 to \$4 per barrel.

Beans—Small lots of hand-picked \$2.25 to \$2.50 per bush.

Honey—Extracted, in tins, 11 to 12c per lb. Combs, \$2.50 to \$2.75.

Baled hay—No. 1 at \$16 to \$15.50 on track, and No. 2 at \$14 to \$14.50.

Baled straw—\$7.50 to \$8, on track, Toronto.

Potatoes—Car lots, in bags, quoted at \$1.20 to \$1.30, and out of store, \$1.40 to \$1.50.

Poultry—Wholesale prices of dressed poultry:—Chickens, 11 to 13c per lb.; fowl, 8 to 10c; ducks, 10 to 13c; geese, 11 to 12c; turkeys, 15 to 18c. Live poultry, about 2c lower than the above.

### BUTTER, EGGS, CHEESE.

Butter—Dairy, choice, in wrappers, 25 to 27c; store lots, 22 to 23c; and inferior, tubs, 17 to 18c. Creamery quoted at 29 to 30c for rolls, and 27 to 28c for solids, per lb.

Eggs—Strictly new-laid quoted at 43c, and fresh at 27 to 28c per dozen, in case lots.

Cheese—Large, 15-1-2c, and twins at 15-3-4c per lb.

### HOG PRODUCTS.

Bacon, long clear, 12 to 12-1-2c per lb., in case lots. Pork, short cut, \$22.50; do., mess, \$19.50 to \$20. Hams—Medium to light, 16 to 16-1-2c; heavy, 14 to 14-1-2c; rolls, 10-3-4 to 11c; breakfast bacon, 16 to 17c; backs, 19 to 20c.

### BUSINESS AT MONTREAL.

Lard—Tierces, 11-3-4c; tubs, 12c; pails, 11-1-4c.

Montreal, Dec. 5.—Oats—Canadian Western, No. 2, 48 to 48-1-2c; do., No. 3, 47 to 47-1-2c; extra No. 1 feed, 46 to 46-1-2c; No. 2 local white, 47-1-2c; do., No. 3, 46-1-2c; do., No. 4, 45-1-2c. Flour—Manitoba Spring wheat patents, firsts, strong bakers', \$4.90; Winter patents, choice, \$4.75 to \$5; straight rollers, \$4.25 to \$4.40; do., in bags, \$1.95 to \$2.05. Rolled oats—Barrels, \$5.25; bag, 90 lbs., \$2.50. Millfeed—Bran, \$23; shorts, \$25; middlings,

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\$2.25 to \$2.75; butchers' cattle, choice cows, \$5 to \$5.25; do., medium, \$4.25 to \$4.75; do., bulls, \$3.50 to \$4; milkers, choice, each, \$75; do., common and medium, each, \$50 to \$60; Springers, \$30 to \$40. Sheep—Ewes, \$3.75 to \$4; bucks and culls, \$3.25 to \$3.50; lambs, \$5.50 to \$5.75. Hogs—F. o. b., \$6 to \$6.50. Calves—\$3 to \$10.

Toronto, Dec. 5.—Medium cattle, were strong, all the way from \$5 to \$6.60. \$6.10 was the highest figure recorded, but only a few picked steers fetched that sum. Good fat cows and bulls were a strong feature at \$5 to \$5.40, common and medium ranging down to \$2.75. Canners were steady at \$2 to \$2.75. Milkmen were still strong at \$50 to \$90. Lambs were a shade firmer at \$5 to \$5.40, but sheep were dull and about 15c cheaper. Calves were easy at \$5 to \$8. The Hog Market was unchanged.

### KING OF SIAM CROWNED.

Maha Vajiravuch is an Up-to-date Ruler.

A despatch from Bangkok says: This city is in gala attire for the crowning of the King of Siam, Maha Vajiravuch, which was carried out with elaborate ceremony on Monday. The King crowned himself in the crowing hall in the presence of special embassies and native dignitaries while seated on the coronation stone. Afterward he showed himself enthroned upon a balcony, and later there was a procession to the royal temple, where the King proclaimed himself defender of the faith.

### PEACE NEAR AT HAND.

Turkey Will Surrender Tripoli to Italy on Conditions.

A despatch from London says: It is reported here that Italy and Turkey are nearing a basis for peace. Whether this is due to the recent Italian successes at Tripoli or to a mutual agreement cannot be learned at present. It is known that Italian agents at Cardiff, where big contracts were let for coal for warships, have been notified not to ship immediately. A report from Rome on Monday night says that Turkey is willing to surrender Tripoli if certain guarantees are made by Italy.

### FLEET OF WAR AIRSHIPS.

German Government Considering Plans for Construction.

A despatch from Berlin to the London Standard says: That the German War Office is considering plans for the building of a fleet of

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### UNITED STATES MARKETS.

Minneapolis, Dec. 5.—Wheat—December, \$1.01; May, \$1.0512; July, \$1.0634; No. 1 hard, \$1.0234; No. 1 Northern, \$1.02 to \$1.0214; to arrive, \$1.0112 to \$1.02; No. 2 Northern, 9912c to \$1.0314; to arrive, 9912c to \$1. Corn—No. 3 yellow, 53 to 60c. Oats—No. 2 white, 45 to 46c. Rye—8612 to 87c. Bran—\$22.50 to \$23. Flour—First patents, \$5 to \$5.50; do., seconds, \$4.60 to \$4.90; first clears, \$3.50 to \$3.85; do., seconds, \$2.40 to \$2.80.

Buffalo, Dec. 5.—Spring wheat—No. 1 Northern, car loads store, \$1.09; Winter, No. 2 red, 99c; No. 3 red, 6fc; No. 2 white, 99c. Corn—No. 3 yellow, 6912c; No. 4 yellow, 66c, all on track, through billed. Oats—No. 2 white, 5112c; No. 3 white, 5114c; No. 4 white, 5014c.

### LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

Montreal, Dec. 5.—Cattle—Butchers' cattle, choice, \$5.75 to \$6; do., medium, \$4 to \$5.25; do., common, \$3.25 to \$3.50; canners,

### Plans for Construction.

A despatch from Berlin to the London Standard says: That the German War Office is considering plans for the building of a fleet of huge airships, capable of carrying large quantities of explosives and big crews of fighting men. The airships, it is said, will be of the Zeppelin type, and will each have a gas capacity of 3,500,000 cubic feet and be capable of carrying 300 men.

### ONTARIO HOLDS PINE SUPPLY Represented 65 Per Cent. of Canada's Total Lumber Cut.

A despatch from Ottawa says: Concerning Ontario's 1910 lumber cut, the Forestry Bulletin says that Ontario still produces a little over one-third of the quantity of the lumber cut annually in Canada, but its annual cut, while increasing, is increasing more slowly each year. In Ontario, during 1910, 1,642,191,300 feet of lumber were cut, being worth \$30,011,000. The diversified forests of Ontario have enabled it to hold the supremacy up to the present. White pine of Ontario formed 85 per cent. of Canada's cut and nearly half of the hemlock cut came from this province. Ontario provided 90 per cent. of the red pine.

### POSTAL RATES REDUCED.

United States and Great Britain Come to an Arrangement.

A despatch from London says: Postmaster-General Herbert L. Samuel announces that as a result of negotiations with the United States postal authorities the rates for parcels from the United Kingdom to the United States was reduced on Dec. 1 as follows: Up to three pounds, 30 cents; up to seven pounds, 54 cents; up to nine pounds, 78 cents; up to eleven pounds, \$1.02. The existing rates are 36, 60, 84 cents and \$1.08 respectively.

### FRENCH WARSHIPS COMING.

Squadron to Visit Three Canadian Ports Next Year.

A despatch from Montreal says: It is announced that a squadron of French warships will visit Canada next summer, and will spend eight days in Halifax, five days in Quebec, and eight days here.

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Second Prize..... 15.00 " "  
Third Prize..... 10.00 " "  
Fourth Prize..... 5.00 " "  
and the next twelve will each receive \$2.50 in gold.

The first person sending in the correct name will receive the first prize, and others sending in correct answers will receive the other prizes in the order in which their answers are received. Contest closes Dec. 30th, 1911. Letters received at the office after 30th Dec., 1911, will not be counted.

For completing the known name of a person prominent in Canada whose name consists of 9 letters, the first of which is "C" and the last "T" as—  
C.....T



Also remember that for the last correct answer received we will give a prize of \$10.00 in GOLD, and for the correct answer received next to the last a prize of \$5.00 in GOLD.



### CONDITIONS GOVERNING CONTEST

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Answers will be numbered in consecutive order as they are received, and at the expiration of the contest, the prizes will be awarded by a committee of disinterested persons, and the list of prize winners will be given in this paper.

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# STATISTICS OF

A Surplus of \$1,192,730  
Annual Report

A despatch from Ottawa says: The annual report of the Postoffice Department shows that the net revenue totalled \$9,146,952, and the expenditure \$7,954,222. During the year there was an increase of 437 in the number of post offices, of 284 in postal note offices, and 189 in money order offices. The increase in the number of letters is estimated at 52,357,000; or 10 per cent. The revenue increased

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(By Investor.)

The relative popularity of investments in Canada differs very materially from that in the United States. Here, for example, railroad bonds are practically unknown. One can carefully scan the lists of bond dealers' offerings and the advertisements in the financial press without seeing any railway bonds offered for sale. In the States, on the contrary, they stand first in the estimation of conservative investors. And after railroad mortgage bonds come railway equipment bonds. In Canada, investors often have opportunities to invest in railroad equipment bonds, but as a rule these are eagerly taken in large amounts elsewhere, and so Canadians cannot give these the position in their scheme of investing that they deserve. As a result, they must fall well down in rank of relative popularity, coming after industrials, and even real estate mortgages and investment stocks, not in security, of course, but only in popularity.

And so, as we are treating these securities in accordance with their relative popularity and not according to their relative merits, we come now to the study of industrial bonds. "Industrial" bonds are bonds secured by mortgage of some manufacturing, mercantile or miscellaneous company of a private character. The consideration of an industrial bond as an investment from the point of view of safety involves a more thorough investigation than that of a municipal. The safety depends, of course, on the success of the security on which the mortgage is based, over the amount of the outstanding obligations. But this margin is for no man's ease to determine. "Even

sent the PAR VALUE of securities paid for the property at the time of the amalgamation, while those may have been given at a value of only 50 cents on the dollar. In this way the actual cost of the property may be only \$5,000,000, whereas the real worth of the property as determined by appraised value may be much less than even this amount. If, then, the appraised value of real estate is less than the mortgage the investor must consider several other factors.

## CHICAGO CATTLE SHOW.

Canadian College Teams Win Three Out of Five Trials.

A despatch from Chicago says: Canadian colleges won three out of five trials in the college team judging contest at the Live Stock Show Saturday night. In trial No. 1, "all classes of live stock," Macdonald College of Quebec won first honors, Manitoba College took second place, and Missouri University won a close third. In swine-judging Manitoba College won first place, Montana Agricultural College took second, and Macdonald College of Quebec third. In sheep-judging Ontario, Macdonald and Manitoba Colleges took first, second and third respectively. Uncle Sam won first honors in horse and cattle judging, but the Canadian colleges won second and third place in both classes. This is the first year the Macdonald College team was entered.

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## AMERICAN BILLS.

Government Will Impose Discount of One-half Per Cent.

A despatch from Ottawa says: In order to discourage the circulation of American National Bank bills and silver certificates in eastern Ontario, the Postoffice Department has issued an order to postmasters instructing them to charge a discount of one-half per cent. on all such money presented at their offices. The action is due to the refusal of the Bank of Montreal to accept large deposits of American bills from the department.

## COURAGE OF THE CHINESE.

No Better Fighters in Europe, Says British Officer.

A despatch from Peking says: Col. Willoughby, a British officer, who has just arrived here from Hankow, is most enthusiastic as to the merits of the soldiers on both sides. He praises their heroic courage, energy and contempt of death, but confirms the statements as to the superior discipline of the Imperial soldiers. He says the best troops in Europe are no better fighters than these men.

Nanking has fallen into the hands of the revolutionary army.

The use of cigarettes in Canada continues to increase.

Liquor has been banished from the Speaker's table by Dr. and Mrs. Sproule.

Thomas Moore and three of his children were burned to death in their house on Lieutenant-Governor Patterson's ranch in British Columbia.

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# BOMBAY GREET'S ROYALTY

The King and Queen are Wildly Cheered on way Through City.

A despatch from Bombay says: King-Emperor George and Queen-Empress Mary, as they are officially styled since their arrival in their great eastern empire, landed from the steamer Medina on Saturday at the quay at the Apollo Bunder at 4 o'clock. They were met by the Governor of Bombay and a large gathering of high officials belonging to the civil and military service, and at once proceeded to a huge amphitheatre which had been erected opposite the landing stage and which was filled to its utmost capacity with many thousands who had come to welcome their Majesties. The scene was a remarkably brilliant one. The handsome levee dress of the officials and the uniforms of the naval and military officers, together with the bright toilettes of the women, only served to emphasize the gorgeous hues of the ceremonial attire of the Indian chieftains. Behind these were massed an immense throng, composed of Hindus, Mohammedans,

and Arabs, all attired in richly-colored festival costumes. Addresses of welcome were presented to the King-Emperor and Queen-Empress by the municipality and other bodies, to which his Majesty replied.

A Royal procession was subsequently formed. It was a mile in length and comprised representatives of all branches of the European and native armies in India. It subsequently traversed all parts of the gaily decorated city. The native quarters presented a particularly quaint appearance, forests of masts along the streets bearing a multitude of native religious symbols representative of the various sects. Enormous crowds everywhere heartily acclaimed their Majesties, who returned to the Medina at 5.30 in the evening.

Martin Lohr, an old man, was burned to death in his house in Beverly township on Saturday.

# BONDS THAT INCREASE IN VALUE

When the demand increases for a bond of a certain denomination, the price goes up. A new issue of 5 per cent. bonds may be made which will sell at \$98, on which basis they would yield 5.05 per cent. Future demand for these bonds would probably force them up to \$105. The original purchasers could then sell at a profit and re-invest the funds.

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the security on which the mortgage is based, over the amount of the outstanding obligations. But this margin is by no means easy to determine. "Even when determined," says a writer on this subject, "the rule is difficult of application, because a margin which may seem insufficient from the point of view of physical valuation may be satisfactory when considered as the equity of a working concern." That is to say, the "good-will" of an active business, while it should not be reckoned as a proper security for a mortgage, may be of sufficient value to render the bonds amply safe when the good-will stands as a marginal security. Then, too, machinery is valuable only where it is being used. A negative example of this may be seen in the unfortunate position of the bondholders of the Amalgamated Asbestos Corporation. This company—primarily a mining concern, but with many points in common with the ordinary industrial—has valuable properties and good machinery; but its business is one in which "good-will"—i.e., business connection, satisfied customers, etc.—counts for little. Consequently, when the demand for asbestos products fell off the corporation was unable to sell its output in the face of competition, most of its customers preferring, apparently, to buy from any other company than the so-called "trash." Had it had a "good-will" worthy the name it might have tided over the dull times in the asbestos trade. It must be borne in mind, however, that good-will is not a proper security for a bond, but is valuable only as an "equity."

In estimating the safety of industrial bonds the most easily estimated asset is its real estate. The first point, therefore, to be determined is the value of the company's real estate holdings, on which, of course, the bond is a first mortgage. Should, as is sometimes the case, the value of the real estate—exclusive of buildings—equal or exceed the amount of the mortgage the security is ample, and the bond has all the good features of a real estate mortgage, with none of its drawbacks. Of course, any first-class banking house handling an industrial issue will not base this determination on the cost of the land or the value at which it stands in the company's books. It is only the appraised value which is of any importance. For example, the property and plant of the Amalgamated Asbestos Corporation stood on the books last year at \$17,000,000. Let us say that the plant took up \$7,000,000—an excessive figure, of course. We have \$10,000,000 for the property to stand behind a bond issue of \$7,500,000. But the \$10,000,000 may repre-

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by \$1,188,404, and the expenditure by \$738,885. Postage stamps issued totalled 648,764,609, as against 584,264,774 while the value increased from \$9,942,435 to \$11,011,042. At the end of the fiscal year 13,324 offices were in operation. In the postoffice savings banks the aggregate balance to the credit of depositors at the end of the year was \$43,330,599 or a decrease of \$255,778. The accounts numbered 147,478, decrease of 1,415.

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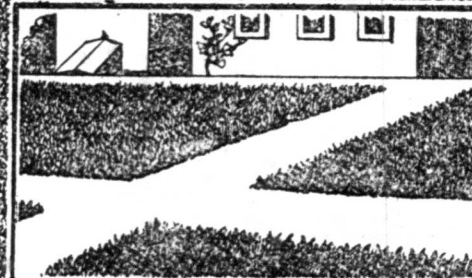
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## ENGLAND'S GLOOMY PRISONS

### BRITISH PENAL SYSTEM SUPPOSED TO BE HELPFUL.

#### The Result Has Frequently Been To Make Men Degraded and Hopeless.

There are still a few people who regard our prisons as places to which those men and women are sent upon whom society desires to be revenged. This was the old idea that underlay the treatment our ancestors meted out to criminals. If a man libelled you, you cut his ear off or split his nose, or put him in the stocks to be the mark for the missiles of the mob; if he forged, you hanged him out of hand; while if he happened to be of a different political persuasion to yourself, and your party had the good fortune to be in power, you put him in a loathsome dungeon, and left him there to meditate on his opinions, says a writer in *Everybody's Weekly*.

When the Bastille was taken by the Paris mob, an old letter from one of the prisoners was found, the contents of which accurately describe this principle and its effects. "If for my consolation," so ran this pathetic epistle, "Monseigneur would grant me news of my dear wife; were it only her name on a card to show that she is alive! It were the greatest consolation I could receive! I should for ever bless the greatness of Monseigneur."

Nowadays the view of society's attitude towards criminals who could produce such a tragic letter as this is no longer generally held. Our prisoners are certainly penal establishments, but we punish our convicts not out of motives of revenge, but that they may be made into good citizens, and other people deterred from the path of crime. The British penal system is supposed to be once a discipline and a deterrent.

It may be that in its latter intentions it is successful, that the embryo criminal is checked by a fear of the punishment that awaits him; though crime does not decrease, nor our prisons grow less full. But as a healthy discipline, which shall make a working man out of a waster, and a good citizen not of a graceless criminal, it has been a complete failure.

I have visited all our great penal settlements, I have seen a thousand men parade in the grotesque uniform of the Broad Arrow. I have observed their faces, and found nearly every one of them hopeless and degraded, the faces of animals rather than men, and it requires no peculiar sagacity to arrive at the conclusion that the state had failed. To make good citizens of such men by such means is impossible.

#### MAN AND CRIMINAL.

The difference between the ordinary man and the criminal is simple—one has the social instinct which keeps his desire to break the ten commandments in check, the other is entirely without it. He robs and murders, he is vicious and brutal, simply because he recognizes no obligation to the society which guarantees to him certain rights and liberties. When his crimes

pass off, leaving depression behind. For a convict to be herded like a beast, to be perpetually counted and audited as if he were some inanimate object, to be made to dress like a zany, to be forbidden to speak, to be chained and padlocked, to be condemned to pass most of each day in the seclusion of a wretched cell where he can be watched without his knowledge, to be made to lead this life for a whole year, and then to expect him to get any benefit, moral or mental, from a performance of Beethoven's 9th Symphony, or a mass by Mozart, is rank, sentimental nonsense. One is almost driven to the conclusion that it would be kinder to let them get drunk once a year, for then at least, as Dr. Johnson said, they would for a space "forget the pain of living."

#### ONLY CHEERFUL PRISON.

Our present system fails in one of its primary objects—the making of good citizens out of bad—because it is a dehumanising system. Not a prison official to whom I spoke in the course of my inquiries honestly believed that any of the convicts under his charge would ever pass into ordinary life fit to begin his duties anew. The difficulty of the problem is due to the fact that the state attempts to do two things, which are mutually antagonistic. If prison is to be a deterrent, it cannot be different to what it is; if it is to exist to make good citizens of criminals, it must of necessity cease to be a deterrent. Sooner or later we shall have to decide which of these principles is to be retained, and which is to be rejected.

At Borstal—the only cheerful prison in England—some sort of compromise between these two principles is being attempted, but here only the junior adult or the youthful criminals are being dealt with. The problem of the old lag—what is to be done with him and how he should be treated—has not been touched upon, and still awaits solution.

#### OLD WILLS.

#### The Most Ancient Known Written 4,500 Years Ago.

Some of the most ancient wills in the world are described by Virgil M. Harris in a book recently published. According to Mr. Harris, the Mussulman claims that Adam himself left a will and that seventy legions of angels brought him paper and pens all the way from Paradise and that the Arch-angel Gabriel set his seal to the document.

It is also recorded that Noah left a will. He divided the known world at that time into three parts and left one to each of his sons.

There exists a curious and ancient testament of Job discovered and published by Cardinal Mai in 1839. In it Job's faithful wife, when reduced to the lowest depths of poverty, is represented as having sold her hair to procure bread for her husband.

Jacob, the third of the Hebrew patriarchs, died in Egypt at the age of 147, but was buried by his sons in the Cave of Machpelah at Hebron, in Palestine, the traditional burial place of the prophets and other Biblical characters of their time.

It can be stated that the very earliest reference to an actual

## ENGLAND'S GREATEST BANK

### HOW IT OBTAINED ITS IMMENSE POWERS.

#### Its Foundation, Present Functions, and Relation to the Exchequer.

The national monetary commission has published a translation of Dr. Eugen von Philippovich's *The Bank of England and Its Financial Services to the State*, which, though well known to students of banking, has hitherto been accessible only in the German language. Dr. Philippovich does not study the Bank of England as a factor in the economic growth of the nation, but rather the "relations between the bank and the English financial administration, and the form which they present to-day," says the Brooklyn Eagle.

Some banks, of which the German Reichsbank and the Bank of Japan are examples, have been organized out of hand by legislative enactment to aid in the administration of government finance and to provide banking resources for industry and convenience. The origin of the immense powers of the Bank of England was quite different. Although the Bank of England was founded in 1694 it did not gain its present intimate connection with government finance until the nineteenth century. The present powers of the bank were acquired as experience showed government officials that the facilities of the bank could be used to advantage in the administration of the public receipts and expenditures. In many cases the bank was first made use of by finance ministers and pay-masters, and the legal authority followed later. In the Bank of England, therefore, we have the best possible example of the development of an institution that has, little by little, taken on new functions and now public responsibilities as experience showed powers to be economically desirable.

#### BANK'S PRIVILEGES.

In 1694 William Paterson and associates advanced the government £1,200,000 in return for £100,000 a year and the privilege of forming a corporation under the title, The Governor and company of the Bank of England. The corporation was allowed to deal in bills of exchange, to buy and sell gold and silver bullion, to lend money on security, with the right of selling the security three months after maturity of the debt secured. The government debt formed the capital stock and the bank was allowed to issue notes up to that amount. There is nothing in the law establishing the bank that indicated any intention of turning the management of the public debt over to it. None of the functions of the exchequer was to be exercised by it. However, the bank at once showed its importance in relation to the government credit by cashing the bills representing the public debt.

In 1697 a new bank act allowed the Bank of England to increase its capital stock by taking subscriptions in bank notes and government bills. In 1708 the capital stock was again increased through a loan to the government and the monopoly of the bank was protected by a provision prohibiting com-

Paymasters, likewise, were assigned certain amounts for which they were personally responsible. Some of the officials and paymasters deposited the government funds at their disposal in the Bank of England; some made other disposition of the funds. "During the eighteenth century the connection between the bank and the public offices grew continually closer. The bank acted merely as a banker, and the relation between the public offices and the bank was no more than that between a private person and his banker."

Between 1780 and 1834 the relations between the bank and the public officers were systematized, but it was not until the latter date that

#### THE REAL UNION

of the public treasury with the bank took place. The duties of the various officials were then defined by law and the following principles were adopted for the management of the public money:

"First—All moneys payable to the government were paid into the bank either directly or through the intermediary of the receivers."

"Second—All public money held by the bank was to form a single fund known as the 'Account of His Majesty's Exchequer.' But separate accounts were to be kept for the public offices corresponding to the separate services."

"Third—the exchequer account was available to the controller general only and he employed the same on the receipt of warrants from the treasury, which warrants must rest either on an order under the royal sign manual or a grant of parliament."

"After 1834 it was no longer possible to speak of a central public treasury unless by this the bank was meant. The additional changes adopted later merely made the government audit more efficient and improved the details of the system."

"No change has been made during the nineteenth century in the methods of borrowing or in the administration of the funded debt. Since 1853 the unfunded debt has been of three forms: Treasury bills, Exchequer bills and Exchequer bonds."

#### THE TREASURY BILLS

resemble non-interest-bearing bills of exchange, running for less than a year and subject to discount. The Exchequer bills entitle the holder to a stated sum at any date after one year and within five years of the date of issue. The interest rate is announced quarterly in the London Gazette. The Exchequer bonds are coupon bonds made out in round sums, payable to bearer, and mature within six years from date of issue. The bank receives a rate of payment for administering the public debt, which rate depends on the amount of the debt outstanding at certain dates.

At present, then, the public revenue is concentrated in the bank under the name of the account of his majesty's exchequer, daily transfers are made to the bank accounts of the issue departments for distribution; the function of the treasury is to secure a constant correspondence between the receipts and issues in case there is a cash deficit the Bank of England makes a deficiency advance to the treasury at a rate of interest agreed upon, the loan to be repaid out of the receipts of the consolidated fund; revenue is received and payment is made by bills of exchange; transfers between the head offices

commandments in check, the other is entirely without it. He robs and murders, he is vicious and brutal, simply because he recognizes no obligation to the society which guarantees to him certain rights and liberties. When his crimes are found out the state takes him, herds him with others of his kind, denies him all intercourse with men better than himself, and declares at the same time that it is trying to imbue him with the social instinct. Could anything be more absurd? The man who has not the social instinct is dehumanized, and to humanize him we subject him to a discipline which is a contradiction in terms.

The fact is, no man comes out of prison, after serving a long term of penal servitude, quite sane or responsible. In nearly every case he has illusions, which usually take the form of thinking that he is watched. The system nearly always leaves its mark upon him, and you can tell an old jailed by the suspicious glances that he casts around him, his nervous gait, and his air of apathy. To think ex-convicts could ever be useful citizens is ridiculous; mentally and morally, they are incapable of sharing the white man's burden.

Moreover, once a man has served a long sentence, the only life he understands and for which he is fitted, is the life of the prison. To give him freedom is like opening the cages at the Zoo, and letting out the animals, expecting them to live and behave themselves because they are free. In the tailoring shops at our penal establishments you may see men over sixty, with white hair and spectacles, busy at sewing-machines, doing their work well. They are men, these old lags, whose lives have been paragoned by promenades from the dock to the prison. They may be good tailors, but it will never be possible for them to be good citizens. In only a single instance, in the course of many years, so a warden in charge of one of those tailoring shops tells me, has a man been known to earn his living as a tailor when he left prison.

#### "THE PAIN OF LIVING"

There was a man at Princetown who had been in prison since 1874. It was rare for him to be absent for more than a month. Outside, he was a nuisance to society; within, leading the life to which he was accustomed, he was a model of good behavior. Just before my visit he had served the life of a warden and for this three months were knocked off his sentence. He regarded what was intended as a reward as an act of gross injustice, and swore that the next warden might be beaten to death before he would go to his assistance.

Can our penal system be a success if it produces such men as these? Birds reared in captivity know only the life of the cage; we should count it cruel to set them free in the woods, and yet we are continually doing a similar thing with regard to our convicts.

Of late there has been a sentimental crusade to brighten lives of convicts by giving them concerts, and by letting them attend violently evangelical mission meetings. These things, it is thought, may humanize them. It would be just as well to give them unlimited alcohol, for the effect on their minds, living the lives they do, cannot be very different. A concert for them can only be a mental intoxicant, the effects of which

in the Cave of Machpelah at Hebron, in Palestine, the traditional burial place of the prophets and other Biblical characters of their time.

It can be stated that the very earliest reference to an actual testamentary disposition is by the words of this patriarch:

And Israel said unto Joseph: Behold, I die, but God shall be with you and bring you again unto the land of your fathers.

Moreover, I have given to thee one portion above thy brethren, which I took out of the hand of the Amorite with my sword and with my bow.

And Jacob called unto his sons and said: Gather yourselves together that I may tell you that which shall befall you in the last days.

In the forty-eighth and forty-ninth chapters of Genesis are these words of the dying patriarch, and here is found not only the disposition of a "portion" to Joseph but the character of each son is shown, the virtue or fault of each is described, to each a symbolic emblem is assigned and to each a future is prophesied. Here is a will, in fact and in prophecy.

Homer refers to the will of Telemachus in favor of Piraeus, to whom are bequeathed all the presents that had been made to Telemachus by Menelaus, lest they fall into the hands of his enemies; but he adds, "In case I should slay them and survive, you are then to restore them to me in my palace, a task as joyous to you to accomplish as to myself to profit by."

William Matthews Flinders Petrie, the English Egyptologist, unearthed not many years ago at Kahun a will which was 4500 years old. These seems no reason to question either the authenticity or antiquity of the document. The will therefore antedates all other known written wills by nearly 2,000 years.

#### CARVED HIMSELF IN WOOD.

One of the most remarkable workmen in the world is Hananuma Masakichi of Tokio, Japan, who has carved a figure in wood so like himself that when the two are placed side by side it is said to be almost impossible to tell which lives and breathes and which does not. By several connoisseurs in art this wooden figure has been pronounced the most perfect human image of man ever made. Masakichi has faithfully reproduced every scar, vein and wrinkle to be seen on his own body. The figure is composed of 20,000 pieces of wood, dove tailed and jointed with such wonderful skill that no seams can be detected. Tiny holes were drilled for the deception of hair and eyelashes in which no dissimilarity to Masakichi's own can be detected.

#### NARCOTIC CARTRIDGE.

Karl Burgsmuller, of Kreiensen, Germany, has devised a means for temporarily narcotizing animals—i. e., rendering them insensible. He fills a cartridge with a mixture composed of substances containing capsaicin in an immediately gasifiable form, and of an easily inflammable substance to accelerate the gasification. This is combined with a small quantity of an explosive agent between the mixture and an explosive cap with which the cartridge is provided. Possibly this is the explosive of the pistols sold for rendering burglars insensible.

its capital stock by taking subscriptions in bank notes and government bills. In 1708 the capital stock was again increased through a loan to the government and the monopoly of the bank was protected by a provision prohibiting companies of more than six persons from issuing bills or notes which were payable within six months of the date of issue. These two acts with the original act of establishment, "formed the basis of the Bank of England's position until the beginning of the nineteenth century."

#### THE FOUNDATION

of the Bank of England forms the transition from the system of floating to that of funded debt. The Bank of England, however, was not the only institution that received its corporate privileges because of its relations to the government debt. In 1698 the English company trading to the East Indies was granted certain exclusive trading rights in return for an advance of £2,000,000 at eight per cent.; in 1711 the South Sea Company was granted the exclusive privilege of trading in the South Sea in return for the advance of funds used to consolidate the floating debt. The Bank of England, however, is the only institution which has survived and which has continued to serve the government.

The growth of the relations between the bank and the exchequer is well illustrated by the history of the exchequer bills. These bills were originally issued to furnish a currency; later they became a means of anticipating revenue. "At their first issue, in 1696, they were negotiable securities, payable on demand, without other guaranty than the public credit in general." Later they were accepted in payment of taxes and the bank was appointed to cash them and given "a voice in deciding the total value of the bills issued. The exchequer bills thus acquired for the public the same value as the bank's own notes, while they served as a bond between the state and the bank, which bound the two together in even closer relations through regularly repeated loans and contracts and, finally, through the funding of the bills into

#### A PERMANENT DEBT

until the state should repay the capital needed to cash them.

As the government debt was increased from time to time its administration was deputed to the bank or to the trading companies. The position of the agents varied according to whether they advanced the funds directly or simply acted as intermediaries. In the first case their capital stock was increased by the amount advanced; in the second case, they took subscriptions for the government debt or annuities, kept proper accounts, turned over the amount subscribed to the exchequer and managed the semi-annual interest payments. The bank was finally given exclusive charge of the business of handling the government debt.

However, it was the increasing share taken by the bank in the daily administration of the public receipts and expenditures that caused were personally responsible. Some official administration. At the end of the seventeenth century all the officials of the exchequer "were absolutely independent in their application and employment of public money. Each official had to give security depending in amount on that of the money to be received."

a cash deficit the Bank of England makes a deficiency advance to the treasury at a rate of interest agreed upon, the loan to be repaid out of the receipts of the consolidated fund; revenue is received and payment is made by bills of exchange; transfer between the head offices of the government are accomplished by book entries merely. Dr. Philipovich declares that the English financial administration at the Bank of England the finest example of an economical centralization of public receipts and issues.

Public finance in England has ceased to be isolated from private finance through a gradual historical growth. The government has necessarily become an important factor in the money market because of its responsibility for the management of the bank as well as because of its own financial needs.

#### SUBSTITUTE FOR POTATO.

"Dasheen," a Tuber Imported From Asia is Being Tested.

The scarcity of the Irish potato just at present in the United States calls attention to its Asiatic substitute, the dasheen. For all practical purposes the dasheen which is seldom larger than a hen's egg, though more prolific than the potato, may be regarded as a species of Irish potato. For ages this tuber in various forms has been cultivated in Japan and China. Planted in the spring it is gathered six months later, and flourishes best in lands like those of the Southern States upon the Gulf. The government has been conducting experiments in South Carolina with the new tuber, and the agents reports that it yields from 12 to 15 tons to the acre, while its edible protein averages 86 per cent. of the potato. It is highly probable that the next few years will see the cultivation of the new tuber in this country to a large extent, especially throughout the South.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

#### CHINESE MAKE GOOD SAILORS

Ship Owners Find They Make Best Help on Vessels.

There is a growing disposition on the part of ship owners and officers in various parts of the world to send to China for complete crews. For most ships, particularly when first employing such crews, it is necessary to carry about a third more Chinese for the same service.

On the other hand, there are many officers and owners who claim that with such additional allowance of help a vessel is run more easily and efficiently, and that, all things considered, the Chinese sailor is the best all-around man aboard ship to be found anywhere. He is adaptable from fire-room to galley, is industrious, has little or no desire to leave the ship in port, and therefore gives little or no trouble from drunkenness and desertion.

#### FACT AND FANCY.

The French are now making wine from bananas. As if the banana hadn't already caused enough downfalls!

Korea has paper raincoats. There are few classes of men that go to the wall as often as paper-hangers.



## SOME CURES ARE NOT CURES

REGULATED WORK IS THE ONLY REMEDY.

Writer Says It Is Best Thing To Prevent Physical and Mental Disease.

Public interest in health and hygiene has never been so marked as to-day, when cranks are so numerous that they have ceased to be remarkable, and nine out of ten of the people one meets are enthusiastic over "the latest cure." Everybody knows everything that is to be known about health and disease—expect how to keep well and look as if they enjoyed life. They drink sour milk by the pint, revel in the New Thoughtism which makes disease a delusion, preach the enervating cult of rest or the comfortless creed of starvation, but wax neither healthier nor happier as a result.

The "cures" do not cure; the elixir of health has yet to be discovered. It might more truly be said that it has to be applied, because the sovereign cure for the ills of flesh, mind, and spirit has existed since Adam and Eve got into mischief in the Garden from having too little to do. Work is, always has been, and always will be, the best cure and preventive of physical and mental disease. Laziness and self-indulgence are at the root of most health evils in this life. They claim their victims by the score and people society with self-absorbed, dyspeptic, nervy, pessimistic bodes who could be cured in a month by liberal doses of hard work.

### GET INVALID HABIT.

There are thousands of semi-invalids wasting the precious days "resting" who would find happiness and gain health into the bargain if they got off their sofas and did their share of the world's work. In some cases invalidism has originated after a genuine illness. Particularly is this true of women. Over-coddled in convalescence, encouraged by the doctor to take care of themselves and avoid over exertion of any kind, they come to like invalid ways and gradually lapse into the invalid habit. They breakfast in bed, lie down for two hours again after luncheon, and return to bed before dressing for dinner. Their condition becomes more and more hopeless as time goes on but if the work cure is applied to them vigorously and drastically they very soon become normal human beings again.

### NEW CURE CHEAP.

The difficulty is to get people to understand that their minor dyspepsia, sleeplessness, and nervous ailments are the inevitable outcome of their mode of life, and that they would find appetite and cure dyspepsia and insomnia if they would take to work.

The new cure for blues, nerves, and general ill-health is cheap, within the reach of everybody, efficacious. It consists simply of work. Physical work, mental work, all kinds of work, so long as the patient can be kept fully occupied and allowed no time to think about health. A great many people are ill simply because they imagine they are ill. The work cure is exactly what they need, in that it provides them with no opportunities for morbid introspection and

## MISS PRINCESS PATRICIA

IS A GREAT FAVORITE IN ENGLISH SOCIETY.

The Young Princess of Connaught Is Full of Life and Spirit.

England has a real grievance in the fact that owing to the Duke's new appointment the "Popular Connaughts" are all going to live in Canada for a time. It is safe to say that all the other members of the royal family might have left en masse and not have been as sincerely regretted as are this uncle of King George and his wife and family, writes a London correspondent.

Of course the loss of Princess Patricia causes the deepest pang. She is the only princess in Great Britain who is really pretty, clever and witty as well as young. Then, too, she has a little atmosphere of romance which rouses all the sentiment in English breasts. She is quite unlike her cousin, the somewhat stodgy Ena of Battenberg, who is now Queen of Spain, and equally unlike the thin, shy, delicate daughters of the Duchess of Fife. She is just a typical healthy, charming English girl, only with far more than their usual amount of brains and a most unroyal sense of humor.

### WILL ENJOY CANADA.

Princess Patricia herself is quite enthusiastic about going to Canada. She intends to visit all the interesting places in the Dominion, and she and her brother Prince Arthur of Connaught, are planning to see something of America also, traveling incognito and visiting most of the large cities. Princess Patricia saw her father and mother off for Canada on Saturday, then she herself started for Sweden where she is to have a farewell visit with her sister, the Crown Princess of Sweden. About Christmas she will join the Duke and Duchess in their new home.

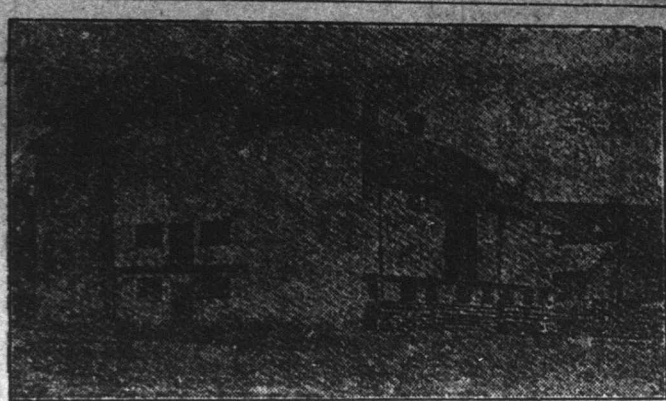
### USED TO PLAY CRICKET.

Princess Patricia is full of life and animal spirits. As a child she was a great hoyden. She played cricket like an expert, and was able to handle bat and ball with equal facility. She was absolutely fearless and had all sorts of narrow escapes. The Duchess of Connaught says that she spent most of the time when Princess Pat was a child in expectation of having her daughter brought home on a stretcher. It was quite an ordinary thing to have her tumble into a lake, or off her horse or do something equally startling.

### KING TRIED TO SPOIL HER.

King Edward loved his niece Patricia dearly. In fact she seemed to interest him more than any of his own children except Princess Maude, now Queen of Norway. He did his best to spoil her. He used to urge her to give imitations of her friends and relatives and roared with laughter at her skill. As she grew older it is said she was able to exact from him a promise that he would never use his royal prerogative to force her into marriage she did not wish, and certainly if she has not been able to marry the man of her choice she has at least been able to keep her freedom.

Princess Patricia, who seems quite devoid of any superabundance of reverence for royalty, used to



### THE FINEST COW BARN IN ONTARIO.

This barn on the Eglington farm of Mr. Joseph Kilgour, one of Toronto's prominent business men, is the finest home for cows in Ontario. The walls of the silos and stable are hollow concrete. The barn is equipped with every modern labor-saving device, such as machinery for automatic watering of the animals. One man can attend to 60 cows without help, except formilking. The stable is also splendidly located.

## Contentment

"Rich people don't get half as much fun out of life as some of us poor folks," exclaimed little Phyllis Hall, as she sat darning her boys' stockings, while she rocked the cradle, with little "Babbie" in it, with her foot.

"Just imagine having all the things in life that one could wish for; never having the fun of saving up for a treat, or to know the triumph of making your own gowns!" she laughed, as she bit off a piece of thread with her gleaming white teeth.

"Don't you ever envy the women you know who have all the luxuries of life and never have a wish ungratified?"

"No; I agree with Ruskin, when he said it is happier to live in a small house and have Warwick castle to wonder at, than to live in Warwick castle and have nothing to be astonished at.

"It's really fun to be poor if you look at it from the right angle. You see, dear, that is what most women are unable or decline to do." And reaching to the basket at her side, she took up another pair of stockings that were nearly all holes. "Women," she continued, "are more apt to notice the disadvantages of life, and brood over them until they become so big that they hide all the little advantages and benefits.

"A housekeeper who can afford but one servant bemoans the fact that she must spend part of the morning in the kitchen, and starts to think how lovely it would be to have a whole staff of servants and a housekeeper to manage them.

"Straightway she begins to pity herself because she cannot spend hours in social pleasures, as do her more fortunate neighbors.

"About this time all the ordinary little worries and annoyances assume huge proportions, and she grows fussy, ill-tempered and says life is not worth living if it must be spent in drudgery.

"Life is always worth living.

"Even if it is not free from sorrow and disappointment, it is a glorious gift if we will let it be flooded with the rosy hues of cheerfulness and love.

### CONCERNING SNAKES.

Way to Kill Ordinary Varieties Is To Rap Them on the Back.

The first impulse of a man on seeing a snake is to stamp on its head, which, according to the Rosary Magazine, is unwise. A snake's skull is very tough, as behooves a part of the body that is always liable to be knocked against stones, &c., owing to the extreme short sightedness of all serpents.

The back, the contrary, can be broken with a light rap, for it consists of a delicate system of ball and socket joints. Should snakes be harmless the best plan is to leave them alone; should they be dangerous a shot from a revolver is safe and effective.

In case no revolver is at hand a rap with a cane will be sufficient, but care must be taken to keep away from the head of the creature.

A snake does not normally go about hitting its skull against hard objects; it only does this when in a hurry. Moving at its ordinary pace it feels its way with its long, delicate, forked tongue.

In the same way when about to swallow its food it touches it all over with its tongue in order to ascertain where to take hold, and this process has given rise to the mistaken idea that a snake covers its prey with saliva prior to swallowing it. No doubt a considerable quantity of saliva is generated during the process of deglutition, but it does not come from the tongue, which is merely used as a feeler.

When a snake bites it bisects its head up to the nape of its neck and opens its jaws till they are in the same plane, i. e., at right angles to the body. These jaws are provided with six rows of strong, sharp teeth, four on the upper jaw and two on the lower jaw.

This is a very formidable arrangement, but when you remember that a medium sized constrictor can project its head with sufficient force to knock a man off his feet, and will either on provocation or sometimes without it, let go this catanult, rat tran machinery, you are likely to avoid constrictors so far as is possible. Such a snake can take hold of a man and shake him or strip the skin and flesh from the part seized as if it were paper.

agreed and allowed no time to think about health. A great many people are ill simply because they imagine they are ill. The work cure is exactly what they need, in that it provides them with no opportunities for morbid introspection and unhealthy self-absorption. The type of work whether mental or manual, is not of very much consequence.

#### DISEASE OF LAZINESS.

Laziness should be regarded as a disease when no organic cause of ill-health exists, and people should be compelled to go through their allotted work as they would have to take their powders of quinine if they were suffering from influenza. There are scores of self-pitying loafers on the sick list of every doctor, who need, not drugs, not "treatment" of any sort, but simply work. To prescribe rest cures for this type is directly inciting them to a lazy life, when their dissatisfaction, general seediness, and lack of vitality are the direct outcome of having too little to do already.

It is not mere rest that they require, but compulsory, methodical, regulated work six days out of seven. Work is the best medicine in the world, the ideal stimulant, because it leaves no ill effects. Its physiological action is self-apparent to any one who will give it a trial. Try ten minutes' simple manual labor, for example, doing it quietly, efficiently, with interest and pleasure. Dig or scrub, sweep or dust a room. First there is stimulation of respiration and circulation, followed by mental exhilaration.

#### CREATURES OF HABIT.

##### Some Remarkable Stories of a Flock of Sheep.

A little contribution to the troubled subject of animal psychology is given, incidentally, in Rev. H. D. Rawnsley's book, "By Fell and Dale, at the English Lakes." Some apparently stupid and meaningless behavior, interpreted in the light of previous facts, would seem to indicate memory, and perhaps even a species of imagination.

Visitors to our lake country, as they ramble over the fells, must be constantly struck with the exceeding beauty of the delicate, lithe little sheep, with their shy, black faces and their dainty feet, that give life to the mountainside.

The most remarkable characteristics of these Herdmick sheep are their homing instinct and their marvelous memories. Of this there are many proofs.

For example, a flock of sheep, driven down a road which was blocked at the time, had to pass through a gate, and so back again through another opening in the wall to the roadway.

They did not pass along that road again for many months. The road was now no longer blocked, and the wall had been built up, but as soon as they came to the place they all topped the wall, and insisted upon going back again through the gate.

I myself have seen a flock suddenly, at a certain place, spring into the air without any apparent reason, and was told that at that particular point the year before a pole had been across the road, and the sheep had jumped it when they came to the place. Although no obstruction now existed, they leaped over an imaginary pole.

ly if she should not be able to marry the man of her choice she has at least been able to keep her freedom.

Princess Patricia, who seems quite devoid of any superabundance of reverence for royalty, used to treat King Edward as a jolly good pal when she was a child, and as a very dearly loved friend and counsellor when she was older. She was always devotedly fond of him, and cried herself sick once when she thought she had hurt him. The King, then Prince of Wales, had been asked to play cricket with the children. He consented to make up one of the sides and started to play without either pads or gloves. Suddenly one of Princess Pat's "shooters" hit him a sharp blow on the leg, and the King "retired hurt," according to the rules of the game, leaving the Princess in despair lest she might have caused serious injury.

#### QUESTION A POSER.

Queen Victoria rather disapproved of her granddaughter of Connaught's boisterous ways, though she too loved the handsome child and had her come for visits when she was at Osborne or Balmoral. These visits were not unalloyed pleasure to Princess Patricia, for she was constantly getting into trouble. Once when the Princess had been running about the lawn like a wild thing for some time, Queen Victoria summoned her and made her sit down, saying: "Little girls should not run about so," said the old Queen severely, whereupon Patricia sighed and uncrossed them, then sat deep in thought for a few moments. Finally she said very gently: "What do little girls have legs at all for, grandma?" History does not relate Queen Victoria's answer.

#### GOOD HORSEWOMAN.

Princess Patricia is an excellent horsewoman and hunts with the Garth and other celebrated English packs. She plays golf and tennis, sails a boat and lands a fish with the best of sportsmen, but she still loves a good old-fashioned romp with the royal children, who count those days red letter ones on which their big, good natured cousin comes to stay with them. King Edward used to tell a story of walking with the Marquis of Salisbury through the gardens at Sandringham when they came upon Princess Patricia on all fours crawling about with Prince Henry on her back and Prince Albert gravely leading her with a piece of string. She was not in the least disconcerted, and laughed as much afterward when her uncle told the story as the King did himself.

In society Princess Patricia is very popular both in the extremely English and the Anglo-American set. Dances are always given especially for her in the season, and she enjoys herself as any ordinary girl would.

#### FORTUNE IN STAMPS.

A lady living in Sydney, New South Wales, for many years has hoarded a collection of postal stamps left by her father, who had pursued his hobby of collecting for fifty years. The daughter was ignorant of any knowledge of philately and threw the stamps into an old trunk. Last week she visited a stamp exhibition, and for the first time awoke to the value of the stamps in her possession. She secured the assistance of experts, who estimate the value of the collection at \$35,000.

be spent in drudgery.

"Life is always worth living. "Even if it is not free from sorrow and disappointment, it is a glorious gift if we will let it be flooded with the rosy hues of cheerfulness and love.

"It is a great mistake to compare our existence with some other one's who is richer than we. If we must compare, then let it be with some one whose life is burdened with sorrow, losses and unhappiness.

"Banish the ugly, envious little thoughts that spring up like weeds, and break up our selfish discontent and make room for the beautiful flowers of the soul to flourish.

"Never say, 'I cannot be contented; it isn't my nature.' The thing to do is to cultivate contentment and make the best of what material you have to work with.

"In all probability you would do no better, even if you had all the advantages enjoyed by your neighbors, all the money and everything it could buy.

"Make the best of what is and never worry over what might have been," is my motto. When I become dissatisfied I strive as hard as I can to improve matters, and I always succeed.

"There, there, Babbie darling, don't cry; mother will get the baby her dinner right away.

"Rock the cradle gently a minute, will you, dear, while I warm Babbie's milk for her."

As she left the room I breathed a prayer of thanksgiving for the valuable lesson in contentment that I had just been taught.

#### PLUMBERS PLAN LIBEL SUIT.

##### English Workmen Resent Statements in New Book.

At a meeting of the institute of plumbers, held in London, England, recently, exception was taken to the statements regarding plumbers made by Harold Begbie in his latest book.

In a chapter headed "The Plumber," according to a delegate at the meeting, Mr. Begbie said that the "plumbing trade was the worst from the moral point of view; that there was no bigger set of thieves than those of the plumbing trade; that he did not know why it was but plumbers appeared not to be able to help it." He would sooner have a burglar in the house than a plumber. Further, if these were "rum" things to say about the whole trade, they were nevertheless true.

The meeting in solemn conclave decided that plumbers were tired of being the butt of comic papers, and a resolution was passed ordering that legal opinion be obtained as to chance of winning a libel suit against Mr. Begbie as a warning to others.

#### THE WAY IN GERMANY.

Last year a Russian traveller asked a Berlin railway official on which platform a train to a particular city would arrive. The official nodded to one side. The Russian interpreted this as permission to cross the rails in the direction of the nod. A shunted engine went over him and cut off his arm. A week later in hospital he received a *Strafmandat* requiring him to pay 45 marks for "unauthorizedly, and to the State railway regulations contrarily, crossing the line."

catapult, rat trap machinery, you are likely to avoid constrictors so far as is possible. Such a snake can take hold of a man and shake him or strip the skin and flesh from the part seized as if it were paper.

#### ALTAR OF THE MOON GOD.

##### Sanctuary Food—on a Hilltop Near Ancient City of Antioch.

An important discovery which is fitted to throw light on the ancient religions of Asia Minor has been made by Sir W. M. Ramsay on the top of a mountain fully 5,000 feet above the sea level about four miles from the ancient city of Antioch, where was found the great altar of the moon god, or ancestral god, "Men Askaenos," which is about 66 feet by 41 feet and stands in an open oblong space approximately 241 feet by 136 feet, says the *Zion Herald*.

This open space is surrounded by a wall five feet thick, which like the altar is built of stones from the mountain. Besides this heiron Sir W. M. Ramsay found also a little stadium or theatre which probably served for the games celebrated in honor of the god on certain feast days.

At some distance off a church was also discovered. The estates of "Men Askaenos" was very extensive, and although they probably passed over to Augustus along with the inheritance of Amyntas, King of Galatia, who was lord also of Antioch, the sanctuary of the god was not suppressed, but an income was devoted to its maintenance. No fewer than seventy votive inscriptions for the god have recently been found which belong to about the year 200 A.D.

In thirteen inscriptions the expression "Tekmoreusas" occurs, which is thought to express or register a kind of reanimation of faith, when certain Christian families (perhaps the farmers of the state and temple territories) weakly returned once more to the ancient state religion and sought to make amends to Men Askaenos for their abandonment for a time of the pagan worship.

Up to the present time no similar sanctuary dedicated to a known god and recognized throughout the whole of Asia Minor has ever been discovered on a mountain top.

#### PHONE RECORDS TALK.

A reproach which has often been raised against the telephone is that it leaves no trace whatever of the conversation transmitted. Thus, a telephone conversation can never figure in a law suit. It is not surprising, therefore, that for some time past efforts have been made to devise an apparatus by means of which a permanent record can be kept of the words spoken over the telephone, and the phonograph has often been thought of in this connection. It is stated that Prof. P. Perotti, of Italy, has just scored a success in this direction. The telephone receiver is composed of two loud speaking telephones; one of these is furnished with the usual mouth-piece; the other is connected with the vibrating membrane of a Pathe phonograph. The current required for this telephone is a little greater than for ordinary installations. The phonograph record can be made to reproduce the speech in the usual manner.





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## PERSONALS

Mr. A. Giroux, of Brockville, spent Sunday last with his family. They move to Brockville next week.

Mrs. Jas. Daly is visiting her sister, Mrs. Freshman, Buffalo, N. Y.

Mr. J. S. Fralick, Morven, was a caller at our office on Tuesday.

Mr. Frank A. Brisco, of Vancouver, who has been renewing old acquaintances in town, is expected to sing in the Western Methodist Methodist Church on Sunday night.

Mrs. J. A. Fraser wishes to thank all those who so kindly assisted in her late trouble and bereavement.

Edward George, of Montreal, is

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VANLUVEN BROS.,  
Moscow.

The town's new road roller arrived on Tuesday and was unloaded and stored away for the winter.

English Christmas Cards and booklets (they have that dainty touch in color and design) at The Medical Hall—Fred L. Hooper.

The Ladies Guild of St. Mary Magdalene Church wish to extend their many thanks to all those who so kindly helped to make the Banquet they gave for the Masons, Nov. 22nd., a success.

On pages four and five of this issue will be found a full report of the engineer on the Dundas street sewer, report of Town council, Richmond minutes and other items of interest.

Its easy to serve City Dairy Ice Cream when you can get it in the Bricks. Everyone likes the Ice Cream and it looks so dainty. Keep it in mind when you are entertaining your friends. We will have it all the time.

### JESSOP'S PHARMACY.

The following officers have been elected for the ensuing year by Lorne lodge, No. 404, A. F. & A. M., Tamworth: W. M., Rev. Rural Dean Jones; S. W., Rev. J. K. Henry; J. W., R. W. Thomas; treasurer, E. R. Jones; secretary, James Aylesworth; tyler, John Parks.

Jas. Gordon will be in his store on Center Street, on Monday forenoon, Dec. 11th.; at Sydenham, in the Switzer House, on Tuesday and Wednesday, Dec. 12 and 13th.; at Harrow-smith on Thursday and Friday, 14th. and 15th.; and at his own store on Saturday and Monday following.

Best Ebony hair brushes and hand mirrors, at Hooper's—Napanee's Largest Drug Store.

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### Special Notice.

Just received a consignment of Brockville and Tudhope cutters, of different styles, both open and with storm tops. Also a full line of horse blankets and robes which I am selling at close prices. Call in and look them over before buying.

C. A. WISEMAN,

John St., Napanee.

52c.

### Salvation Army Hall.

There will be special attractions at the Salvation Army Hall on Saturday evening, December 9th, at 8 p. m. Capt. Turner, of Kingston and the Kingston Male quartette.

Illustrated Musical Mixture; Illustrated Stories; Illustrated Recitations; Illustrated Songs.

Tickets, only 10 cents.

Sunday, 3 p. m., Lecture, "Twice Born Men." 8 p. m., Illustrated Song Service.

Silver collections all day Sunday.

### Historical Meeting.

The regular meeting of the Lennox and Addington Historical Society, will be held in Historical Hall, Library Building, on Friday evening, Dec. 15th at 8 p. m. The President of the Society will give a talk illustrated by lantern slides on "Some Photographs in the Society's collection." The entrance will be free and every one will be welcome.

### Dates Cancelled.

The special attraction at Wonderland advertised for the 7th, 8th, and 9th of December has been called off for the time being owing to the illness of "Buster" the younger member of the McQuinn family, who was taken suddenly ill. Mr. Foster, however, hopes to make new dates for this attraction in the near future.

Fine stationery in fancy boxes, at The Medical Hall—Fred L. Hooper.

English and French perfumes in dainty packages, at Hooper's—Napanee's Largest Drug Store.

### The New Skating Rink.

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### A few Suggestions.

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### Dalley—Kehoe.

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## A MERRY XMAS

Owing to the extra rush this season I will be unable to give attention to the Optical Department. Those wishing their eyes scientifically tested will confer a favor by calling after January 1st next, when I will endeavor to give the same service as in the past.

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*Smith's Jewelry Store*

## ANNUAL MEETING

of the patrons of the Palace Road Cheese Co., will be held at the Factory, on

**TUESDAY, DEC. 12th,**

at 2 p. m.,

for the purpose of closing up the business of 1911, and Election of Officers for 1912. November cheques will be given out, Milk routes sold, and there will be an address given on the care of milk, etc.

M. N. EMPEY, W. F. GEROW,  
Sec. Prop.

W. R. LOTT, Auditors.  
S. C. S. McKIM,

## Debentures for Sale.

Township of Sheffield 5 per cent. Debentures for a Public School Loan for \$3500.00 Principal and interest payable at the Sterling Bank of Canada, Tamworth, in twenty yearly installments amounting to \$280.85 each, on 20th December, beginning in 1912.

Sealed Tenders marked "Tender for Debentures" received by the undersigned clerk up to noon of 15th December, 1911, will then be opened by the council, and, if satisfactory, a sale concluded.

Cash for them to be in Sterling Bank, Tamworth, for use on 20th December, 1911.

For copy of by-law authorizing Debentures, and any further information required address.

JAS. AYLSWORTH,  
Clerk, Tp. Sheffield,  
Tamworth, Ont.

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Edward Giroux, of Montreal Light, Heat and Power Co., spent Sunday last with his parents here.

Mrs. Amos Kimmerly spent Wednesday in Brockville.

Mr. Harry Grooms, Toronto, spent a few days this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Z. A. Grooms, Richmond.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Kelly, Trenton, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Z. A. Grooms, Richmond.

Messrs. W. A. Grange, W. T. Waller and E. J. Roy were in Kingston on Thursday.

Mrs. M. B. Mills left on Tuesday for a week's visit with her son, George, in Cleveland. On her return she will stop off at Toronto for a visit with her daughter, Miss Mabel, who, will accompany her mother home to spend the Christmas holidays.

Invitations have been issued by Prof. Francis Fisher Powers for a complimentary Strauss-Wagner song recital by Mrs. Frank E. VanLoven assisted by Miss Helen VanLoven and Mr. Harold Alberty, of Brockville, to be given at Napanee on Saturday afternoon next.

Miss Lena Herrington spent a few days this week in Kingston.

## BIRTHS.

VALASTYNE—At Regina, on Wednesday, December 6th, to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Valastine, of McGee, Sask, a son.

## DEATHS

HOOPER—At the residence of her son, Fred L. Hooper, on Sunday Dec. 3rd, 1911, Caroline Matilda Daly, relict of the late Douglas Hooper, Newburgh, aged 70 years.

SEWARD—At North Fredericksburg on Monday, Dec. 4th, 1911, Henrietta Seward, aged 76 years.

KELLY—At Richmond, on Sunday Dec. 3rd, 1911, Sarah Ann Kelly, mother of Mrs. Z. A. Grooms, aged 78 years, 7 days.

Flowers for Christmas, leave your order with us early so that you will be sure of getting what you want, at The Medical Hall—Fred L. Hooper.

The Electors of Lennox are wondering if Mr. T. G. Carscallen has remembered the money he placed in his trunk before the last election. Mr. Carscallen will need it in this contest.

A. S. Kimmerly will sell Five Roses Flour, \$2.75, Harvest Queen Flour, \$2.50. Plenty Bran and Shorts, 1 pay 24c. Cash for eggs. Our celebrated 25c. Tea beats the World. 8 lbs. Sulphur, 25c.

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## St. Mary Magdalene Church.

Sunday, Dec. 10th: 8 a. m. Holy Communion; 10.30, Morning Prayer; 7 p. m., Evensong. Adult Bible Class after Morning Service.

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## A BY-LAW

To confirm an Agreement between the Corporation of the Town of Napanee and the Dominion Rock Drill Co.

## BY-LAW No.

A By-Law to fix the assessment of the Dominion Rock Drill and Foundry Company, Limited.

WHEREAS, the Corporation of the Town of Napanee desire to give some assistance to the Dominion Rock Drill and Foundry Company, Limited, and

WHEREAS, the Dominion Rock Drill and Foundry Company, Limited, and the Corporation of the Town of Napanee, have entered into an Agreement in the terms as more fully set forth in Schedule "A" to this By-law, and

WHEREAS, it is necessary to pass a By-law confirming said agreement, the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the Town of Napanee enacts and it is hereby enacted:

1. THAT for the period of ten years from the First day of January 1913, and for a second period of ten years after the expiration of said first mentioned period, the real and personal property of the Dominion Rock Drill and Foundry Company, Limited, used by the said Company for the purpose of its business in the said Town of Napanee, shall not be assessed for any purpose at a greater sum than \$4000.00, in any of the said years except for taxation for school purposes and for local improvements.

2. THAT the agreement dated December 7th, 1911, between the Dominion Rock Drill and Foundry Company, Limited, and the Town of Napanee, which said Agreement is hereto annexed and forms Schedule "A" to this By-law, is hereby ratified and confirmed.

WHEREAS, the said parties hereto have agreed to join in an application to the Legislature for an Act confirming and ratifying said By-Law and this Agreement.

NOW THEREFORE THIS AGREEMENT WITNESSETH: That in consideration of the premises, the parties hereto agree each with the other, as follows:

1. THE party of the Second Part agree on or before January 1st, 1913, to increase their paid up capital to at least the sum of \$40,000.00.

2. THE party of the Second Part further agree to increase their plant and machinery exclusive of the new site hereinafter mentioned on or before the said January 1st, 1913, to at least the sum of \$30,000.00, provided the said party of the Second Part shall expend upon new and additional plant and machinery the sum of at least \$30,000.00, and the council of the said party of the First Part by a majority vote of the whole council shall determine whether said expenditure has been made.

3. THE party of the First Part agree to fix the assessment of the property of the party of the Second Part liable to assessment and used by them in connection with their business including the business assessment at the sum of \$4000.00, from and after the said first day of January, A. D. 1913, and for a period of ten years from said January 1st, 1913, and for a further or additional period of ten years from the expiration of said first mentioned ten year term, this fixed assessment however shall not apply to the assessment for school taxes or for taxes for local improvement.

4. THE party of the First Part further agree to construct a watermain to the new site hereinafter mentioned of sufficient capacity and not of more than two inch diameter to connect with the water mains of the Napanee Water Works Company, the said main so to be constructed to be completed on or before July 1st, 1912.

5. THE party of the First Part further agree to purchase a new site for the said party of the Second Part on or before one month after the date when the by-law confirming this agreement is finally passed. The lands for the new site as aforesaid are to consist of approximately three acres of land in the Town of Napanee, conveniently situated to the main lines of the Grand Trunk Railway or Canadian Northern Ontario Railway, and the said lands so purchased shall be conveyed by a good and sufficient deed in fee simple to the said party of the Second Part, provided, however, that the party of the First Part shall not be required to invest more than the sum of \$600 in the purchase of said lands, and provided further that in the event of the party of the Second Part failing to carry out the terms of this agreement in increasing their paid up capital and plant as aforesaid, provided further that the party of the Second Part fails to operate their plant at the said new site for the period of ten years from January 1st, 1913, then the said party of the First Part shall have a lien upon the lands, plant and machinery of the said party of the Second Part for the full amount of the purchase money without interest, namely the sum of \$600.00 (Six Hundred Dollars).

IT IS FURTHER UNDERSTOOD AND AGREED between the parties hereto that should the party of the Second Part cease to operate their plant at any time during the said first ten year period for a period of six months and the ceasing to operate for the purpose of this agreement shall mean a ceasing to manufacture the goods usually manufactured by the party of the Second Part or of any other articles in lieu thereof, and providing a ceasing to operate by reason of strikes, tempest or fire for a period of six months shall not be a ceasing to operate within the meaning of this agreement, then the said six hundred dollars shall be due and payable to the party of the First Part, and shall be a lien upon the said lands, and provided further should the said party of the Second Part fail to increase their capital and plant as aforesaid by the said January 1st, 1913, then the said party of the Second Part shall pay to the said party of the First Part their reasonable costs and expenses incurred in connection with the passing of the said by-law and obtaining the said Act confirming the by-law which said expenses are hereby fixed for the purposes of this agreement at the sum of \$200.00, which said amount shall be payable forthwith.

## TRINITY METHODIST CHURCH

Napanee.  
Sunday December 10th, Educational Services.

Rev. W. H. Sparling, D. D., of Brockville, will preach both morning and evening.

Evening Anthem. "Ye shall dwell in the land"—J. Stainer.

Solo. "The gentle Shepherd"—Adams—Miss Cairns.

### Winding up Estate.

All parties indebted to Potter & Blanchard, of the Town of Napanee, either by note or by book account, will please call and settle at once. On account of the death of Mr. Potter the firm's business will have to be settled up by the first day of January next. All amounts not paid on that date will be sent for collection.

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POTTER & BLANCHARD.

### Prices at Wallace's

3 packages of dyola or any other dye, 25 cents; Williams' pink pills, 35 cents or 3 for dollar; Chases K & L pills, 20 cents; large Bars Shell Brand Castile Soap, (cut to suit) 25 cents; 106 Parke Davis' No. 13 tablets, 25 cents; 2 ounces of Genuine Maccaboy Snuff, 15 cents; Howard's pure Cod Liveroil, 50c. pint; Howard's Emulsions, made from this pure oil, 25, 50, and 75 cents Bottle; Carter's Little Liver pills, 19c; Rexall Hypophosphite, \$1.00 per bottle; 6 lbs. Best Salt, 25c; 6 lbs. pure Sulphur, 25c; Queen City coal oil, every gallon guaranteed clean and bright, 15 cents single gallon, 14 cents in demijohn lots. Everything Fresh and Good at Wallace's Drug Store.

## There is Nothing More Annoying

than a Suit of Blue or Black that wont hold its color.

No wardrobe is complete without a nice Blue or Black Suit and the suits we offer in Blues and Black ranging from

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are guaranteed fast color.

**JAMES WALTERS,**  
Merchant Tailor, Napanee.

### Gold Cuff Links.

A beautiful assortment of solid gold links, monogrammed and enclosed in silk velvet cases, signet tie pins, tie clasps, collar buttons and studs to match if desired.

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Silver Tea Sets,  
Fern Pots, Cake and Sandwich Plates.  
Entree Dishes, Fruit Dishes, in shapes you never saw before.  
Salad Bowls, Sugar Bowls, Olive, Pickle and Butter Trays, Brass Goods must be seen to be appreciated.  
Bean Pots, Vegetable Dishes, Etc., Etc., in Caseroles.

### Locketts,

Necklets,  
Cains,  
Fob,  
Cuff Links,  
Wedding Rings,  
Marriage Licenses.  
Newest in Long Bar Brooches, all prices.  
Ladies' and Gents' Watches,  
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local improvemente.  
2. THAT the agreement dated December 7th, 1911, between the Dominion Rock Drill & Foundry Company, Limited, and the Town of Napanee, which said Agreement is hereto annexed and forms Schedule "A" to this By-law, is hereby ratified and confirmed.

3. THE votes of the duly qualified electors of the said municipality shall be taken upon this By-law at the same hour, on the same day and at the same places and by the same deputy returning officers and poll clerks as for the annual election for the municipal council for the year 1912.

4. ON the 28th day of December 1911, at the hour of twelve o'clock, noon, the Mayor shall attend at the Town Hall in the Town of Napanee for the purpose of appointing and shall appoint in writing two persons to attend at the final summing up of the votes given for and against this By-law, and one person to attend at each polling place on behalf of the persons interested in and desirous of promoting the passing of this by-law, and the like number on behalf of the persons interested in and desirous of opposing the passing of the by-law, which place, day and hour are hereby fixed for said purpose.

5. On the 2nd day of January, 1912, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon at his office in the town of Napanee the clerk of said municipality shall attend and sum up the number of votes for and against the by-law.

MAYOR.

CLERK.

### Schedule "A".

MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT, made this seventh day of December, A. D., 1911.

BETWEEN:

The Municipal Corporation of the Town of Napanee of the First Part, And, The Dominion Rock Drill and Foundry Company, Limited, of the Second Part.

WHEREAS, the party of the Second Part is a body corporate, incorporated under the Ontario Companies Act, and has been carrying on business in the Town of Napanee as a Rock Drill and Foundry Company, and

WHEREAS, said Company are desirous of increasing their paid up capital, and of moving their plant to another site in said Town and increasing their plant and machinery, and

WHEREAS, the said Company have agreed that they will increase their paid up capital to the sum of at least forty thousand dollars, (\$40,000) and increase their equipment of plant and machinery exclusive of the land hereinafter mentioned to the sum of thirty thousand dollars (\$30,000), and

WHEREAS, the party of the First Part has agreed in consideration of the premises to give the said party of the Second Part a fixed assessment, inclusive of business assessment of four thousand dollars (\$4000.) for the purpose of municipal taxes, exclusive of school taxes and local improvement taxes for a period of ten years from January 1st, 1913, and a further period of ten years from the expiration of said first ten year period, and

WHEREAS, the party of the First Part has further agreed to purchase and convey to the party of the Second Part a new site of approximately three acres of land in the said Town of Napanee at a cost of not more than six hundred dollars (\$600), and

WHEREAS, the said party of the First Part has further agreed to construct to the new site aforesaid a water main of sufficient capacity and not to exceed two inches in diameter, and

WHEREAS, for the purposes aforesaid the party of the First Part has agreed to submit a By-Law confirming this agreement to the electors entitled to vote thereon, at the time of holding the next municipal election or as soon thereafter as conveniently may be, and

aforesaid by the said January 1st, 1913, then the said party of the Second Part shall pay to the said party of the First Part their reasonable costs and expenses incurred in connection with the passing of the said by-law and obtaining the said Act confirming the by-law which said expenses are hereby fixed for the purposes of this agreement at the sum of \$200.00, which said amount shall be payable forthwith upon demand in writing.

THIS AGREEMENT shall come into force and take effect after the assent of the electors has been obtained thereto as hereinbefore provided, and upon the final passing of the By-Law confirming said Agreement.

THIS AGREEMENT shall be construed to be binding upon and enure to the benefit of the parties hereto their successors and assigns respectively.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the said parties hereto have hereunto affixed their hands by their proper officers and affixed their corporate seals.

IN THE PRESENCE OF:

W. T. WALLER.

THE DOMINION ROCK DRILL AND FOUNDRY CO.

J. M. WALLACE, President.

J. P. VROOMAN, Sec'y..Treas.

A. S. KIMMERLY, Mayor.

W. A. GRANGE, Clerk.

TAKE NOTICE that the above is a true copy of a proposed By-Law, which has been taken into consideration, and which will be finally passed by the Council of the Municipality of the Town of Napanee, in the event of the consent of the electors being obtained thereto after one month from the first publication in the Napanee Beaver and Napanee Express, the date of which first publication was on the 8th December, 1911, and that the votes of the electors of the said Municipality will be taken thereon on the day and at the hours and places therein fixed.

W. A. GRANGE,

Town Clerk.

Dated December 7th, 1911.

Nominations.

Nominations for a member of the Provincial Legislature were held in the Court House on Monday at noon, Mr. Jas. Reid, returning officer, presiding. Mr. Thos. G. Carscallen was nominated by Messrs. A. W. Grange and John S. Ham, and Mr. M. S. Madole by Messrs. Thos. Symington, and Andrew Magee. There were no speeches and the proceedings were of a merely formal character.

### PUBLIC GUARANTEE.

We are authorized by the publishers to guarantee that every person who during the month of December, pays a year's subscription to the Family Herald and Weekly Star, of Montreal, will receive a copy of their valuable premium picture, entitled, "Home Again." The Family Herald and Weekly Star's subscription receipts in November were 60 per cent. over November 1910, almost entirely owing to the picture which is admitted by all who have seen it to be the best premium ever given with a newspaper. Those who fail to secure a copy will be themselves to blame. The Family Herald and Weekly Star and such a beautiful picture all for one dollar is such rare value that no person can afford to miss it. The picture is given both to renewal and new subscribers.

When your throat tickles it's time to take Four T's and avoid a serious cold. Four red T's on the bottle. Price 25c.

Sold and recommended by T. B. Wallace, Druggist.

The latest styles in ladies' hand bags and purses, made by The Julian Sale Leather Goods Co., at prices to suit all purchasers, at The Medical Hall—Fred L. Hooper.

Salad Bowls, Sugar Bowls, Olive, Pickle and Butter Trays, Brass Goods must be seen to be appreciated. Bean Pots, Vegetable Dishes, Etc., Etc., in Caseroles.

Newest in Long Bar Brooches, all prices.

Ladies' and Gents' Watches, All Makes, All Sizes.

Chinneck's name on box or wrapper is a sure guarantee you are getting something new.

Don't fail to look in our windows when you pass Wallace's Drug Store.

We Cannot Tell You Here What We Have for Xmas Gifts. The only Good Way is to Come and see for Yourself. All we can say is that we have the Best Line of Goods we ever have had, by very great odds

The following Suggestions May Help you in Choosing:

**Leather Cases** containing hair brushes, comb and mirror, we sell from \$2.90 up to \$5.00. The cases are satin lined and are very well finished. We also have cases containing hair brush and comb, without the mirror—price, from 85c upward. Then we have folding leather cases containing military hair brushes, comb, mirror, tooth brush and holder, tooth powder holder, and soap box, in compact form, price \$3.50. We have Ladies' Cases in folding style also, prices \$2.90 and 4.00.

Leather, Suede, or Velvet Hand Bags for Ladies

are very popular this year. We have them of all sorts and are sure to please you. One special bag made of Cape Goat Seal Leather, lined with corded silk, containing change purse, silk corded handle, will please you immensely we are sure. There is no space here to enumerate all our styles so come in and see them.

There is no more delicate mode of conveying your esteem to a young lady than by giving her a beautiful and inexpensive BOTTLE OF PERFUME. At what better time would you wish her to think of you than when she breathes the fragrance of good perfume. Her thoughts are always pleasant at such a time. Our assortment in these packages lacks nothing.

What would Xmas be without a box of good CHOCOLATES. Don't make a mistake and take home a box of stale or poor candy. There is nothing else so disappointing. Be sure to buy the QUEEN ANNE QUALITY. We always have them fresh.

And last of all don't forget a brick of

City Dairy Ice Cream.

Jessop's Pharmacy.